

Final
BULLETINSHavre, Cherbourg
Strafed in Daylight

LONDON (CP)—Docks at Le Havre were bombed and Cherbourg and Fecamp were visited by fighter sweeps today, the R.A.F. announced tonight.

Tunisia Agrees?

LONDON (CP)—The Berlin radio broadcast tonight a report that the Bey of Tunis had consented to the passage of United States troops through Tunisia, but authoritative quarters in London, lacking any confirmation, said the broadcast appeared to be a Nazi propaganda move.

Mrs. McRae Dies

VANCOUVER (CP)—Mrs. Blanche Latimer McRae, 65, wife of Senator A. D. McRae, died here at noon today following a lengthy illness.

Long a resident of Vancouver, Mrs. McRae was prominent in social circles.

Africa Attack
Planned in August

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt, declaring the north African campaign seemed to be going well, cautioned at a press conference today against over-optimism, and disclosed that details of the offensive were completed last August.

\$2,500,000,000 a Year

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada now is producing war materials at the rate of \$2,500,000,000 a year, Munitions Minister Howe said today in a statement on the war production being carried out for his department.

Canada Joins Board

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada has become a full member of the Combined Production and Resources Board and will be represented on the board by Munitions Minister Howe, the munitions department announced this afternoon.

Mr. Howe will be a member of the board jointly with Donald Nelson, chairman of the War Production Board, representing the United States, and Oliver Lyttelton, British minister of production, representing the United Kingdom.

3 Victoria Officers
Given Decorations

Three Victoria officers today were awarded the Canadian Efficiency Decoration, given to officers and men for long and meritorious service in the Canadian army.

The three were: Maj. R. H. Green of 516 Rupert, now serving at Work Point Barracks; Lt. Col. V. McKenna, M.C., serving overseas with the R.C.A.; and Maj. Stuart Robertson, formerly of 631 Harbinger, now overseas with the 1st C.S.R.

No Pre-Yuletide Pay

OTTAWA (CP)—The Treasury Board today acted to check unnecessary expenditures by federal civil servants through a letter to all government departments advising them that the usual authority for payment before Christmas of government salaries for December will not be granted this year.

The concession of past years will also be denied those receiving pensions and superannuation payable under the Militia Pension Act, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act and the Superannuation Act.

About 70,000 government employees will be affected by the board's order, along with 8,000 superannuation annuitants, 450 R.C.M.P. pensioners and 1,600 militia pensioners.

Darlan at Algiers
Held By U.S. Forces

LONDON (CP)—Admiral Jean Darlan, chief of Vichy's armed forces, is in Algiers in custody of United States forces, an Allied headquarters spokesman said today.

"Darlan is in Algiers, being entertained with all the consideration due his rank, and as a naval officer of his distinguished career," the spokesman said.

Casablanca, Oran Fall to Allies

Churchill Says
Action Prelude
To New Front

By ROBERT E. BUNNELLE

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill declared today that President Roosevelt "is the author of this mighty undertaking" of United States arms in northwestern Africa, and added that "in all of it I have been his active and ardent lieutenant."

Britain and the United States took their action, he added, "for one purpose and one purpose only; namely to gain vantage ground from which to open a new front against Hitler and Hitlerism."

The Prime Minister said the British 8th Army drive to Libya from Egypt "gives good prospect of becoming decisive and final so far as the defence of Egypt is concerned." He said it was launched "as a prelude and counterpart to the momentous undertaking by the United States at the western end of the Mediterranean."

"We mean to hold our own. I have not become the King's first minister in order to preside over the liquidation of the British Empire."

PRISONERS COMING

The Prime Minister commented that "we have not so far in this war taken as many German prisoners as they have taken British, but these German prisoners will no doubt come in droves at the end, just as they did last time."

Mr. Churchill spoke at the Lord Mayor's luncheon at the Mansion House—delivering the annual address on Britain's foreign affairs traditionally given by the Prime Minister on the occasion of the installation of a new Lord Mayor of London. Today's ceremony marked the inauguration of Sir Samuel Joseph as Lord Mayor.

Troops to Occupy
Immigration Block

The Immigration Building at 40 Dallas Road will be shortly occupied by Canadian soldiers. After the quarters have been reconstructed as suitable barracks they will be taken over by the 6th Division and will accommodate men of the Divisional Ordnance Works who are now living in tents on Macaulay Plain, it was announced today.

No changes will be made in that part of the building now used as offices by the Dominion Immigration branch which will continue in that function. Work on the men's quarters will get under way immediately.

Slow-down Alleged
In Coal Mines

Provincial Labor Department officials here today said they know nothing of reports printed in Vancouver alleging a "slow-down" in operations at the No. 8 mine of Canadian Collieries near Nanaimo. They said it was a matter for the federal authorities. "Real cause" of the slow-down was attributed to "stubborn refusal of federal authorities to allow any elasticity in wage and job-freezing orders."

Miners there recently went on strike when an arbitration board rejected their application for a basic wage increase, but they returned to work when officials of United Mine Workers of America moved to make a second application to the Dominion government.

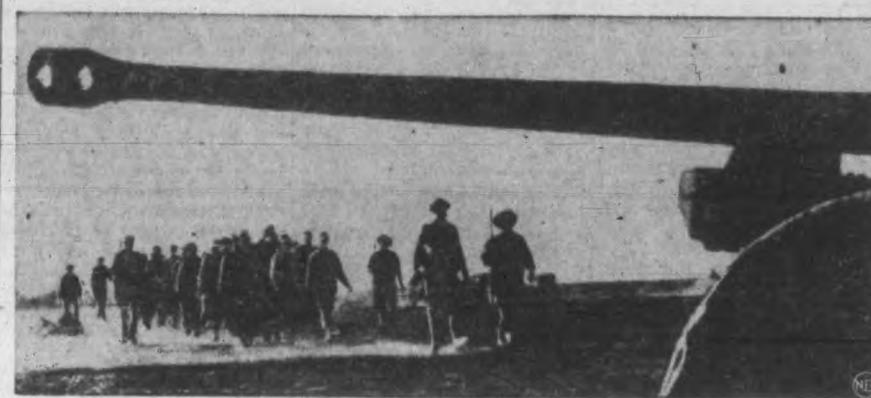
"The coal mining industry is a national employer and we don't deal with that at all," said Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Labor.

According to the Vancouver charges, the miners each day "reduce by one the number of cars each man normally loads. Before many days have passed they will be loading no cars at all... threatening a fuel shortage, threatening the war effort."

No Times Tomorrow

This newspaper will observe Remembrance Day as a holiday. The next regular edition will be issued Thursday.

British Take Nazis



As the United Nations drive relentlessly on in Egypt, more and more men of Rommel's fleeing forces are being taken captive. Seen under a captured German anti-tank gun, a party of six British soldiers and their German prisoners head back toward a prison camp. (Radio-photo).

British Pound
Retreating Nazis
At Sidi Barrani

CAIRO (AP)—Only the rear-guards of Field Marshal Rommel's once-powerful army remained in Egypt as the beaten remnants of a force which once threatened Alexandria and Suez, fled into Libya, and British headquarters announced today that these rear-guards had been engaged at Sidi Barrani and Salum Monday. Their swift liquidation was regarded as certain.

At the same time bombers of the Middle East command blasted airdromes on the Italian island of Sardinia, from which Italian and German bombers could attack United Nations' forces in French north Africa, the joint British headquarters R.A.F. communiqué said.

The tip of Sardinia is less than 200 miles from the Algerian coast and Algiers, now occupied by American forces, is little more than 300 miles from the island. The battle area in Egypt, littered with the wreckage of Rommel's army, is gradually being cleared, and prisoners, mostly Italians abandoned by their German allies, continue to pour into Allied detention camps.

Allied bombers and fighters are making Rommel's passage into Libya as rough as possible by bombing and strafing the frontier area over which his beaten army is retreating, the communiqué said. There was little enemy air opposition. One Messerschmitt was shot down.

Big Allied Fleet
Reaches Gibraltar,
Vichy Report Says

LONDON (CP)—A Vichy broadcast reported today the arrival of powerful naval reinforcements at Gibraltar, including both warships and transports.

The report, under La Linea, Spain, dateline, said the British aircraft carrier Furious and six destroyers had entered the fortress harbor this morning after having escorted a British convoy of 22 merchantmen, including two tankers, in from the Atlantic.

It said the 35,000-ton British battleship Nelson, a cruiser, several destroyers and two transports also were anchored at Gibraltar.

As heard in Britain, the German radio claimed today that a German submarine had torpedoed a British battleship of the Queen Elizabeth class in the north Atlantic. There was no confirmation from any source of this energy report.

Increases Fine to \$250

VANCOUVER (CP)—A fine of \$100 imposed by Magistrate G. R. McQueen for an infraction of a Prices Board regulation was increased by Judge Bruce Boyd in county court today to \$250 when he dismissed the appeal of the Consolidated Coal Company Limited, Granville Island. The company had been found guilty of selling coal between June 1 and July 31 at 75 cents a sack when the price set by the Prices Board was 45 cents.

Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By GLENN BABB
Associated Press Staff Writer

The big headlines are going to the landing parties of commandos and infantry, the tank fighters and airmen who are mauling down all north Africa, from the Atlantic to the Red Sea, for the United Nations. But while the victories are being won on African deserts and beaches and in the skies, we are reminded that none of this would have been possible without Allied command of the seas.

SURE FOUNDATION

All the new weapons and new tactics this war has evolved have not shaken the place of seapower as the foundation on which the United Nations are building victory.

"If only there were a land bridge to Africa," moaned a Berlin radio commentator last week as he tried to explain away the disaster that had befallen Rommel in Egypt. But there is no land bridge to Egypt and none to Morocco and so Hitler, like Napoleon and the Kaiser, is confined to the solid limits of Europe while the armadas of his enemies make the seven seas foam as they dispose the great armies that are to choke him to defeat.

Gen. Eisenhower, who commands American's vast new American campaign, warmly acknowledges the role of the British and United States navies under Admiral Cunningham in the undertaking.

"Nothing short of marvelous," he says on the way the navies handled this most ambitious and spectacular overseas expedition in military history. But the sea forces' contribution was no less vital to the 8th Army's triumph in Egypt, although spread over years in time and longest supply route ever maintained for a major military operation.

It remains to be seen whether the Axis, confronted with the threat of being swept from the Mediterranean, will be pushed into challenging the British and U.S. fleets on the surface. Together the German, Italian and Vichy French fleets would offer a formidable challenge, but they are not together.

NAZI SHIPS BARRED

No German surface warship can reach the Mediterranean; in fact the only two Nazi ships of the line known to have dared the open seas are now on the bottom, the mighty Bismarck and the Graf Spee. The Vichy fleet is still a question mark. The readiness of the Italian navy to make a sortie is almost equally a question mark.

The Allies have good reason for confidence the Mediterranean soon will be theirs to travel freely.

German Drives
On Stalinrad,
Caucasus Dwindle

MOSCOW (AP)—The German drive on Stalingrad and the push toward the Georgian military highway in the Caucasus appeared to have dwindled today to a series of light clashes in widely separated sectors, but the Russians reported they were digging away at German positions and cutting down Nazi strength wherever it was encountered.

The midday communiqué said the Germans had succeeded in crossing a river northeast of Tula on the Black Sea, but were driven back by Russian troops. Another German attack in a sector of the Nalchik front in the Caucasus likewise was repulsed and several tanks destroyed, it was reported.

BRIEF REPORT

At Stalingrad there was only light activity, the Soviet Information Bureau said, and the once-flaming front northwest of the city was covered in a line reporting a raid behind German lines in which 36 Germans were killed. Snipers and guerrillas were reported at work all along the western front, with the Russians seeking to unnerve the Germans, upset their supply and frustrate their designs.

Near Mordok, another Caucasian focal point of the Nazi drive toward the Georgian military highway, the Germans were said to have made light attacks on Russian positions, then withdrawn to their original lines, leaving 160 dead behind, the Monday mid-night communiqué said. A German headquarters was reported routed and prisoners taken in that area.

Allied Sweep
Drives Axis Chiefs
To Hurried Parley

LONDON (CP)—Hitler, Mussolini and Pierre Laval were reported meeting in Rome today and unofficial quarters in London believed the Fuehrer and his satellites from Italy and Vichy France were considering some desperate blow in an effort to halt the British-American advances in North Africa.

The likeliest spot for the Italian fleet, Axis air forces and possibly the Vichy French fleet to strike appeared to be Tunisia, through which President Roosevelt has said the U.S. expeditionary force intends to advance to attack Marshal Rommel's reduced forces from behind.

The meeting of Hitler, the Italian Duce and the Vichy Chief of Government in Rome was reported by Reuters news agency in a dispatch "from the French frontier."

This report followed the statement from the Berlin radio Monday that Laval had left Vichy for "an unannounced destination." The Berlin broadcast emphasized that he had not, as is usual, gone to Paris.

It was believed the Italians, facing the fearsome prospect of Allied control of the whole southern Mediterranean shore, would attempt some desperate counterstroke.

ARMISTICE PUNCTURED

Laval's inclusion in an Axis conference was considered natural since the German foreign office spokesman announced Monday that the new situation in north Africa affects the terms of the armistice with Vichy.

A change in armistice terms could concern either the use by the Axis of the Vichy fleet, or the occupation of the rest of France and available parts of the French Empire.

There was some speculation that the Vichy fleet might attempt to put in at Bizerte, the best naval base on the French African coast, before Allied forces get there.

Such a movement might be coordinated with a concentration of Axis aircraft in Tunisia from Sicilian and other bases.

Bizerte and Tunis in Tunisia are on a hump of the African coast where it is closest, 130 miles, to Sicily and the Italian mainland. Bizerte also is only 350 miles by air from the chief Libyan base of Tripoli.

AIR FORCE WEAK

Axis strategy was handicapped, however, by the notable weakness of their air forces in the Mediterranean of late, and the past reluctance of the Italian fleet to challenge the British navy to a naval fight.

Although the Berlin radio hopefully broadcast that the main French fleet had steamed from its European base at Toulon Sunday, nothing has been heard from it yet.

Coinciding with the Reuters report of the Axis meeting, the Russian news agency, Tass, reported in a dispatch from Switzerland that Mussolini had applied to Berlin for military assistance "to defend the positions of the Axis countries in northern Africa."

Tass said the Italian petition was received in Berlin "with reserve," and had not received a reply.

German representatives in Rome were said to have advised Mussolini to start military operations in French northern Africa "without waiting for aid."

United Nations propaganda was on the offensive along with their military forces. The BBC told Italians day and night the rickety story of how the Germans had abandoned Italian divisions in Egypt.

Hit Italian Cruiser

LONDON (CP)—A British submarine has scored a torpedo hit on an Italian cruiser off the north coast of Sicily, the Admiralty announced today.

The communiqué said the cruiser, which carried 6-inch guns, was subsequently seen to be stopped, with anti-submarine craft and tugs standing by her.

The attack was made by a submarine commanded by Lieut. J. F. Stevens, the Admiralty said.

Vichy Destroyers
Off Casablanca
Smashed by U.S.

NEW YORK (AP)—CBS reported a BBC broadcast tonight saying Admiral Sir Andrew Cunningham had announced "all resistance of the Vichy and Laval forces at Casablanca has ceased."

By WES GALLAGHER
U.S. Correspondent With the A.E.F. in Africa

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP)—Oran has fallen to an attack by American troops and with its capture virtually all Vichy French resistance in the Mediterranean has ended, Lt. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower announced late today.

The commander-in-chief of the United States expedition against French north Africa said Oran fell to the Americans only a few hours after the assault on the Algerian port had begun.

With United States forces already holding Algiers, their other prime objective on colonial France's north African shore, American assault tanks infiltrated into the outskirts of Oran in an all-out attack which began at 7:30 a.m.

Around the bulge of north Africa in the Atlantic, U.S. aircraft and heavy warships were bombarding the harbor of Casablanca. Their guns had put the new 35,000-ton French battleship Jean Bart in flames, and had wiped out light forces of French destroyers which had been harassing American landings on the Atlantic coast.

Rear-Admiral H. K. Hewitt was commanding the naval force in action against Morocco.

(A United Press correspondent, operating under a military pool arrangement which made his reports available to other services, said Hewitt threw in the full weight of his battle fleet when French ships put up resistance at Casablanca.

French Vessels
Sunk Or Burned

(He said Hewitt's divebombers and naval gunfire wiped out the entire flotilla of French destroyers and lighter craft, damaged a French cruiser and left the Jean Bart a burning hulk.

(This correspondent reported that French naval resistance put up at Oran had been met in kind by the British admiral, Sir Andrew Browne Cunningham, who beat off the French with naval gunfire and aerial bombing while the Americans drove into the city with tanks and infantry.)

Gen. Eisenhower was well satisfied with the rapid progress of the north African campaign, still only in its third day, as the driving force of the A.E.F., tightly coordinated with British and U.S. naval power, pressed ahead, and French Gen. Henri Giraud emerged as "an ally in the common cause."

(In announcing the fall of Oran Washington said the American troops were supported by the British navy and army and naval air units.

(London meanwhile said United States naval forces have overcome resistance by French naval units at Casablanca to a large degree. London also confirmed the fall of Oran.

(Reuters reported a Vichy broadcast saying United States military headquarters had been set up in Oran early this afternoon, and that no more firing was heard in the city after 3 p.m., 8 a.m. P.D.T.)

U.S. Column Moves
Toward LibyaBy E. C. DANIEL
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON—An American column was reported advancing toward Libya today—the first United States thrust directly aimed at expelling the Axis from Africa—as the preliminary occupation of French north Africa rolled swiftly toward completion over Vichy's shattered and disorganized defenses.

Aged Marshal Petain himself shouldered the burden of commanding the French forces, replacing Admiral Jean Darlan who is a prisoner of the Americans, and the Germans were reported to have sent Field Marshal Erwin von Witzleben to north Africa to direct the Vichy forces on the field.

Oran, a naval base and the chief French north African port on the Mediterranean, had been entered by United States tank crews, and an American column struck out for the next—and bigger—goal of the expedition.

A Vichy broadcast said an American force was driving toward Bou Saada, 120 miles southeast of Algiers in a direct line toward the Libyan desert, indicating a possible attack over the inland desert at Tripoli, capital and kingpin of Italian Libya, and at the rear of Field Marshal Rommel's scurrying Axis army.

Tunisia Entered,
Says Vichy Report

One report, unconfirmed, said American vanguards had pierced the border of Tunisia, but the Vichy broadcast indicated the plan was to bypass it. Vichy said its forces in the desert were preparing to resist the thrust into the interior.

The report that Nazi Marshal Witzleben had arrived in north Africa came from Russian sources amid gathering signs of disintegration of the Vichy command.

With Darlan a captive, French leadership in Algeria, in the east, and Morocco, in the west, had been without a unifying command.

Pierre Laval was reported to have hurried to Rome to take stock with Premier Mussolini on the peril with which the Axis suddenly finds itself confronted by the Allied threat from the south.

So far, there has been no confirmation of Axis reports that Gen. Maxime Weygand—who might share leadership with Gen. Giraud in any anti-Vichy movement—had reached north Africa. Vichy troops were in contact with American forces at Orleansville, about 100 miles east of Oran and roughly midway between Oran and Algiers, it was disclosed.

The German radio broadcast under a Vichy dateline that fighting on a large scale had been resumed at Casablanca after the French commander had rejected the American armistice offer.

Few Axis Planes
Appear in Battle

Axis aerial intervention in the battle of north Africa has been slight, an Allied spokesman said. He declared flatly the Vichy report that four Allied warships and six transports had been sunk was "absolutely false."

The main opposition still, he said, was from "considerable" naval resistance.

Earlier in the day, London had announced the landing of British land and air forces in French North Africa, but did not disclose the location or strength of the units landed.

This was the situation at a glance:

1. Darlan, once member of the collaborationist triumvirate of Vichy and sparkplug of French resistance, was in custody at Algiers, where he had arrived in time only to give the cease-fire order in that North African port.
2. By entering Oran today, after first having forced the surrender of Algiers under land, sea and air assault, the Allies had about completed the first phase of the campaign in Algeria, breaking Vichy resistance in both its chief ports.
3. Gen. Auguste Nogues, commander-in-chief of Vichy's Moroccan forces, was reported by the French from Tangier to have withdrawn into the interior from threatened Rabat, north of Casablanca.

Wherever French garrisons still took orders from Vichy, Lt. Gen. Eisenhower's powerful command hammered relentlessly.

Troops apparently were still streaming ashore on the beaches of North Africa. Despite the denial of the Governor-General of Morocco that landings had occurred at Mogador and Agadir, in southern Morocco, French reports from Tangier said Americans not only had landed but were continuing to land at those southern ports.

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Aberhart Fears Planning Inadequate

EDMONTON (CP) — Premier Aberhart of Alberta, in a broadcast address, said that although Canadians generally realize the need for the foundation now of a new postwar order, there is "nothing in sight but the disastrous, undesirable features of the old inadequate and discredited prewar system."

The Premier's address Monday night was one of a series of fortnightly radio talks, broadcast over an Edmonton station. He said postwar reconstruction and national morale would form the subject of the address.

"Our present problem is largely due to the blind blundering and dog-eat-dog principles which we tolerated during those prewar years," Mr. Aberhart said. "These must go!"

He said the focus of the war is shifting more and more to postwar reconstruction, and asked "unlike the people, all the people, have a deep conviction about the objective for which we are fighting and sacrificing, how can we expect to have the invincible national unity and the high degree of morale essential to a total war effort?"

Deaf to Whining

MONTREAL (CP) — Rex Stout, author and chairman of the War Writers' Board of the United States, addressing a Canadian Club luncheon gathering here, urged that the democracies harden themselves to the "whining" of the defeated enemy so that "our children or grand-children" won't have to fight Germans again.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A.R.P. dance, Nov. 7, Lake Hill Community Hall, winning tickets 211, 191. Please phone E 4210. ***

Greater Victoria Philatelic Society meetings third Friday each month. Membership invited. President G 7987; secretary B 2654. ***

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British Losses At Madagascar Kept at Minimum

LONDON (CP) — Prime Minister Churchill disclosed to the House of Commons today that British forces lost only 17 killed and 45 wounded in the operations in southern Madagascar between Sept. 10 and Oct. 17.

These were the operations in which the British forces advanced southward for the eventual wresting of complete control from the Vichy authorities in Madagascar. Casualties have been extremely light since Oct. 17, the Prime Minister said.

Mr. Churchill was cheered loudly as he entered Commons. He said he would make a major statement on the situation in the Middle East "in the near future."

Before addressing Parliament, however, he said, he expected to make a speech at a major public function in London.

His remarks were made in answer to questions.

The Prime Minister declined to discuss a question about the present arrangements for a united strategy among the United Nations.

Bones and Fats To Be Saved

WINNIPEG (CP) — Chas. La Ferle of Ottawa, national salvage director, announces that an extension campaign for collection of bones and fats would be started "around Dec. 1" by the salvage branch of the Department of National War Services and maintained for the duration of the war.

Speaking to representatives of the butcher trade here, he outlined the necessity of fats and bones for conversion into products such as glycerine and glue, needed in the production of war materials.

Mr. La Ferle said letters would be sent to 3,000,000 housewives five days prior to the opening of the campaign, explaining the importance of the drive.

H. S. Hunslett of Toronto, of the department of fats and oils, told the meeting housewives would be asked to have fat in cans and take the full container to their nearest butcher shop. The butcher will pay the housewife four cents a pound for the fat, he said, and in turn will sell the fats to packing houses and renderers, where it will be converted into materials needed for the war effort.

Nov. 11 Event in Ottawa

Remembrance Book Opening Tomorrow

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada's "Book of Remembrance," designed to endure through centuries as a tribute to those who died in the first Great War, will be placed in the Memorial Chamber beneath the Peace Tower on Parliament Hill Armistice Day, tomorrow, by Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

The 68-pound volume containing 606 beautifully hand-illustrated pages on which an air force hero of the present conflict, Flt. Lt. W. H. Baldwin, D.F.C., has penned the names of more than 66,500 Canadians who gave their lives in the war of 1914-1918, will be placed in a casket on a carved stone pedestal in the centre of the vaulted memorial chamber.

STORY IN STONE

On the walls about the pedestal is carved on great stone plaques the story of Canada's achievements beginning with the call to arms in 1914, continuing through the campaign in France to the armistice which found the Canadians at Mons, and concluding with a story of the survivors' homecoming. High above the plaques in the cathedral-like chamber the light filters through beautiful stained-glass windows on some of the finest stone carving to be found in the Parliament Building, which is noted for that type of artistry.

Thus, after 10 years of labor and in the midst of a second world conflict which finds Canadians fighting and dying on many foreign battlefields, a documentary memorial to the dead of the first Great War is being enshrined in the heart of the nation's capital.

So far as the public is concerned the book will be locked within its specially prepared, bronze-bound casket, to be viewed only through a heavy plate-glass top. But each day the casket will be opened and one page

Churchill Text; 'African Drive Means End of War's Beginning'

LONDON (AP) — The text of Prime Minister Churchill's speech today follows:

I notice, my Lord Mayor, by your speech you had reached the conclusion that news from the various fronts has been somewhat better lately.

In our wars, episodes are largely adverse but the final result has hitherto been satisfactory. Eddies swirl around us but the tide bears us forward on its broad, resistless flood.

In the last war we were uphill almost to the end. We met with continual disappointments and with disasters far more bloody than anything we have experienced so far in this.

But in the end all opposition fell together and all our foes submitted themselves to our will.

We have not so far in this war taken as many German prisoners as they have taken British, but these German prisoners will, no doubt, come in in droves at the end just as they did last time.

I have never promised anything but blood, tears, toil and sweat. Now, however, we have a new experience.

We have victory—a remarkable and definite victory. The bright gleam has caught the helmets of our soldiers and warmed and cheered all our hearts.

The late M. Venizelos observed that in all her wars England—she should have said Britain, of course—always won one battle, the last. It would seem to have begun rather earlier this time.

Victory in Egypt Glorious, Decisive

Gen. Alexander, with his brilliant comrade, Lt. Gen. Montgomery, has made a glorious and decisive victory in what I think should be called the Battle of Egypt.

Rommel's army has been defeated. It has been routed. It has been very largely destroyed as a fighting force.

This battle was not fought for the sake of gaining positions or so many square miles of desert territory.

Gen. Alexander and Gen. Montgomery fought with one single idea—to destroy the armed forces of the enemy and to destroy them at a place where the disaster would be most punishable and irreversible.

All the various elements in our lines of battle played their part, Indian troops, Fighting French,

Greek, representatives of Czechoslovakia and others. Americans rendered powerful and invaluable service in the air.

But as it happened, as the course of battle turned, it has been fought throughout almost entirely by men of British blood and from the Dominions on the one side and by Germans on the other.

The Italians were left to perish in the waterless desert. But the fighting between the British and Germans was intense and fierce in the extreme.

It was a deadly battle. The Germans have been outmatched and outfought with every kind of weapons with which they had beaten down so many small peoples and, also larger, unprepared peoples.

They have been beaten by many of the technical apparatus on which they counted to gain domination of the world. Especially is this true in the air, as of tanks and of artillery, which has come altogether into its own.

The Germans have received that measure of fire and steel which they have so often meted out to others.

Now, this is not the end. It is not even the beginning of the end. But it is, perhaps, the end of the beginning.

Hitler's Nazis will be equally well armed and, perhaps, better armed. But henceforward they will have to face in many the forces that superiority in the air which they have so often used without mercy against others and of which they boasted all around the world that they were to be masters and which they intended to use as an instrument for convincing all other peoples that his resistance to them was hopeless.

When I read of the coastal road crammed with fleeing German vehicles under the blasting attacks of the R.A.F. I could not but remember those roads of France and Flanders crowded not with fighting men but with helpless refugees, women and children, fleeing with their pitiful barrows and household goods upon whom such merciless havoc was wreaked. I have, I trust, a humane disposition, but I must say I could not help feeling that whatever was happening, however grievous, was only justice grimly repaid.

It will be my duty in the near future to give a particular and full account of these operations.

All I say about them at present is that the victory which has

already been gained gives good prospects of becoming decisive and final so far as the defence of Egypt is concerned.

Battle of Egypt Timed as Prelude

But this battle of Egypt, in itself so important, was designed and timed as a prelude and a counterpoint of the momentous enterprise undertaken by the United States at the western end of the Mediterranean, an enterprise under United States command and in which our army, air force and, above all, our navy are bearing an honorable and important share.

A very full account has been published of all that has been happening in Morocco, Algeria and Tunisia.

The President of the United States, who is commander-in-chief of the armed forces of America, is the author of this mighty undertaking and in all of it I have been his active and ardent lieutenant.

You have, no doubt, read the declaration of President Roosevelt, solemnly endorsed by His Majesty's government, of the strict respect which will be paid to the rights and interests of Spain and Portugal, both by America and Great Britain.

To those countries, our only policy is that they shall be independent and free, prosperous and at peace.

Britain and the United States will do all that we can to enrich the economic life of the Iberian peninsula.

The Spaniards especially, with all their troubles, require and deserve peace and recuperation.

Our thoughts turn toward France, groaning in bondage under the German heel. Many ask themselves the question: Is France finished? Is that long and famous history, marked by so many manifestations of genius, bearing with it so much that is precious to culture, to civilization and above all, to the liberties of mankind, is all that now to sink forever into the ocean of the past, or will France rise again and resume her rightful place in the structure of what may one day be again the family of Europe?

I gladly say here, on this considerable occasion, even now when misguided or suborned Frenchmen are firing upon their resisters, that I am prepared to

stake my faith that France will rise again.

Tribute Paid de Gaulle, Giraud

While there are men like Gen. De Gaulle and all those who follow him—and they are legion throughout France—and men like Gen. Giraud, that gallant warrior whom no prison can hold, while there are men like that to stand forward in the name and in the cause of France my confidence in the future of France is sure.

For ourselves we have no wish but to see France free and strong, with her Empire gathered round her and with Alsace-Lorraine restored. We covet no French possession, we have no acquisitive designs or ambitions in North Africa, or any other part of the world. We have not entered this war for profit or expansion but only for honor and to do our duty in defending the right.

Let me, however, make this clear, in case there should be any mistake about it in any quarter: We mean to hold our own. I have not become the King's first minister in order to preside over the liquidation of the British Empire. For that task, if ever it were prescribed, someone else would have to be found and under a democracy I suppose the nation would have to be consulted.

I am proud to be a member of that vast Commonwealth and society of nations and communities gathered in and around the ancient British monarchy with which the good cause might well have perished from the face of the earth.

Here we are and here we stand, a veritable rock of salvation in this drifting world. There was a time not long ago when for a whole year we stood all alone. Those days, thank God, have gone.

We now move forward in a great and gallant company. For our record we have nothing to fear. We have no need to make excuses or apologies. Our record pleads for us and we shall get gratitude in the breasts of every man and woman in every part of the world.

As I have said, in this war we have no territorial aims. We desire no commercial favors, we wish to alter no sovereignty or frontier for our own benefit.

We have come into North Africa shoulder to shoulder with our American friends and Allies for one purpose and one purpose only, namely to gain a vantage ground from which to open a new front against Hitler and Hitlerism, to cleanse the shores of Africa from the stain of Nazi and Fascist tyranny, to open the Mediterranean to Allied sea power and air power and thus effect the liberation of the peoples of Europe from the pit of misery into which they have been passed by their own improvidence and by the brutal violence of the enemy.

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These two African undertakings, in the east and in the west, were part of a single strategic and political conception which we had labored long to bring to fruition and about which we were now justified in entertaining good and reasonable confidence.

Taken together they were a grand design, vast in its scope, honorable in its motive and noble in its aim.

British and American forces continue to prosper in the Mediterranean. The whole event will be a new bond between the English-speaking people and a new hope for the whole world.

I recall to you some lines of Byron which seem to me to fit event and theme.

"Millions of tongues record thee, and anew
Their children's lips shall echo them and say,
Here where sword the united nations drew
Our countrymen were warring on that day.
And this is much and all which will not pass away."

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Club Cafe—S. Brown 486, B. Lerik 389, D. Milne 379, D. Guitre 359, L. Creighton 466, handicap 297. Total 2,785.
Club Cafe won two.

Times No. 1—L. Block 521, R. Johnson 474, M. Jeanine 410, H. Jeanine 789, 109 score 344, handicap 107. Total 2,714.
Woolworth's—J. Hamilton 416, A. Hamilton 511, O. McLeod 490, E. Bird 434, O. Nash 430, handicap 125. Total 2,634.
Woolworth's won two.

Merchant's Transfer—A. Bird 342, D. Allen 412, E. Allen 480, H. Ogden 515, B. Grant 435, handicap 30. Total 2,677.
Times No. 2—K. Trevers 621, S. Campbell 477, C. Trevers 412, M. Campbell 606, J. Green 576, handicap 30. Total 2,748.
Merchant's Transfer won two.

Dynameters—M. White 388, M. Best 462, G. Leslie 445, E. Groppe 456, H. Butler 445, handicap 60. Total 2,840.
Smith's Grocery—K. Robb 385, Thoma Simmons 416, D. Bellman 412, J. Donnelly 389, D. Bourne 589, handicap 167. Total 2,840.
Dynameters won two.

Doodits—L. Hughes 641, T. Cole 572, O. Jolly 560, P. North 647, D. McCaig 726, handicap 9. Total 3,185.
Pippin—G. Hanson 432, M. Fielden 374, N. Hanson 565, P. Latham 591, J. Latham 377, handicap 204. Total 2,894.
Doodits won three.

SEVEN FIFTEEN LEAGUE
S. W. Blythe 360, M. Heath 416, M. Moore 391, O. Wyatt 562, J. McLeish 588, handicap 180. Total 2,507.
Muskrats—A. Knowles 528, R. Knowles 512, C. Chivert 357, M. Carson 527, M. Carson 529, handicap 513. Total 2,940.
Bees won two.

Minks—J. Rhodes 397, M. Heath 416, M. Moore 391, O. Wyatt 562, J. McLeish 588, handicap 180. Total 2,507.
Muskrats—A. Knowles 528, R. Knowles 512, C. Chivert 357, M. Carson 527, M. Carson 529, handicap 513. Total 2,940.
Bees won two.

Recesses—R. Atkinson 481, V. Overton 385, O. Schreder 471, C. Bent 622, C. Inglis 482, handicap 649. Total 3,450.
Squires—J. Small 532, E. Cameron 389, C. Gold 547, S. Cameron 531, I. Christenson 384, handicap 522. Total 2,915.
Recesses won three.

Others—K. Daley 386, N. Martin 481, M. Rain 391, C. Hastings 501, R. Rain 401, handicap 123. Total 2,924.
Squires—J. Small 532, E. Cameron 389, C. Gold 547, S. Cameron 531, I. Christenson 384, handicap 522. Total 2,915.
Recesses won three.

V.M.D. FIFTEEN LEAGUE
Rivers—J. Mann 388, E. Frost 528, T. Wormald 416, M. Gibson 363, W. Shouder 543, handicap 24. Total 2,518.
Lois—W. Edmunds 626, E. Crawley 497, R. Hartley 379, E. Hartley 379, E. Le-londe 412, W. McKinnon 603, handicap 186. Total 2,546.
Lois won two.

Plant 1—R. Simpson 458, P. Thomas 381, R. Jones 549, B. Greenwood 432, E. Gibson 556, handicap 216. Total 2,687.
Widlers—M. Ireland 400, H. Faber 366, R. Coston 400, C. Lewis 476, T. Wood 448, handicap 264. Total 2,390.
Plant 1 won two.

Plant 2—D. Wray 369, W. Boone 454, J. McKay 362, A. Barnwell 682, E. Browne 531, C. Johnson 108, J. Ford 180, handicap 234. Total 2,515.
Pitters—Hanson 437, Restell 391, Dugan 626, Steele 324, low score 487, handicap 54. Total 2,515.
Caulkers won three.

LAWN BOWLERS FIFTEEN LEAGUE
Hornets—J. Jeffrey 319, L. Waters 537, D. Thompson 515, M. Cohen 388. Total 1,697.
Vipers—J. Blackstock 584, V. Trueman 464, O. Butterfield 318, Mrs. Phillips 605. Total 1,754.
Hornets won two.

Go-Getters—Mrs. Wallace 461, Mrs. Nakala 468, Mrs. Stocks 370, Mrs. Wilson 439, Total 1,639.
Alley Cats—R. Hurry 307, I. Davis 469, Wallace 365, E. McLeod 395. Total 1,476.
Alley Cats won two.

Owls—M. Peddie 460, W. Pan 455, E. Davidson 417, E. Turry 427. Total 1,864.
Kola Bears—C. Lewis 560, P. Dickinson 389, D. Harding 343, Davidson 422. Total 1,924.
Owls won two.

Bees—J. Stewart 417, B. Miller 465, M. Davidson 417, E. Turry 427. Total 1,864.
Merry Macs—P. McDowell 407, O. Junget 354, A. Gough 253, Mrs. Prince 264. Total 1,292.
Bees won three.

Mc, Me & PRIOR FIFTEEN LEAGUE
No. 4—L. Simpson 458, M. Pearce 372, P. Ball 309, E. Barty 360, B. Leppin 364. Total 2,097.
No. 7—J. Milroy 437, A. Priestly 457, O. Hill 375, M. Hirst 371, C. Shaw 572. Total 2,178.
No. 7 won two.

No. 6—M. Segar 482, K. Fougard 415, McCowan 457, M. Stewart 367, R. Cole 514, handicap 222. Total 2,689.
No. 1—B. Cox 292, 222.
No. 3—J. Peich 437, A. West 328, R. Gardner 465, F. Cousins 354. Total 2,689.
No. 6 won three.

DEPT. OF MUNITIONS FIFTEEN LEAGUE
Cepers—V. Watts 511, L. Ellis 426, R. Michels 328, M. Barty 360, B. Leppin 364. Total 1,956.
Primitives—J. Munro 486, J. Ellis 434, O. Johnson 288, A. Hawke 329, R. Ashley 312, handicap 89. Total 1,857.
Primitives won two.

Chocolate should not be included in parcels going to North Africa since climatic conditions there are unsuitable.

The new regulations will in no way affect the present arrangement by which relatives and friends of prisoners, subject to the control of the postal censorship, may send books, games and tobacco from licensed firms without restrictions as regards next of kin or frequency of mailing.

Regular shipments of next-of-kin parcels to the Far East have not yet been arranged with the Japanese, the department states.

Whenever these arrangements can be completed a similar parcel system will be provided for prisoners of war and civilian internees held by Japan.

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UP TO DEMOBILIZATION
Although hostilities ceased Nov. 11, 1918, and the treaty of peace was signed by Germany June 28, 1919, final demobilization of the Canadian personnel did not take place until April 30,

1922. The book, therefore, contains the names of all those who died from the beginning of the war up to that date, and has special page openings for nine years, each with its separate motif in decoration.

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Italian People Tremble in Public?

WASHINGTON (AP)—The appearance of American forces in the north African theatre has thrown Italian radio commentators into a frenzy of exhortation, including advice to the Italian people that "to tremble in public is a crime against the community and the country," the Office of War Information reports.

United States monitor stations, the O.W.I. says, picked up another broadcast in which the speaker warned:

"It is unquestionable that the plan and the strategy back of the Anglo-Saxon landings on the French African coast is American and that its aim is to create there with the help of the De Gaulle forces a new great front against the Axis, in the first place against Italy."

Still another broadcaster told the Italians they could not count on resistance by the Vichy forces because "the precedent afforded by Madagascar offers little encouragement."

Envoy to Haakon

OTTAWA (CP)—External affairs department officials have declined to comment on a report from London that the Canadian government had informed the Norwegian government in London that a representative from the Dominion would be accredited to King Haakon.

However, this was believed to be linked up with a report current here for some time that Brig. G. P. Vanier, officer commanding Military District No. 5 (Quebec) and former Canadian minister to France, would be accredited to a number of foreign governments now in London.

The automotive industries have been asked to scrap all tools, dies and fixtures that are not necessary for maintenance of essential automotive transportation.

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Quebec Air Hero Buerling Home; To Fight Again

By FRANK FLAHERTY
OTTAWA (CP)—George Beurling loves fighting, but he's a shy young man in company.

"Fighting is the only thing," declared Canada's No. 1 airman of the present war to a group of newspapermen Monday night, just after he was officially welcomed home to Canada by Prime Minister King.

When Pilot Officer Beurling,



PO. BEURLING

20-year-old "Hero of Malta," winner of the Distinguished Service Order, Distinguished Flying Cross, Distinguished Flying Medal and Bar, speaks of fight-

ing his eyes light up and he appears to enjoy life.

Otherwise he did not appear to enjoy the glare of spotlights, the attentions of newspapermen and high officials of the nation and the air force. He was tired after a trans-Atlantic flight from England which followed a crash in a passenger plane at Gibraltar in which 15 fellow-travelers were killed and others injured.

MEETS FAMILY

Air Marshal L. S. Breadner, chief of air staff, escorted Beurling and his admiring family from nearby Rockcliffe air station to the Prime Minister's office on Parliament Hill.

"My warmest congratulations to you not only on my own behalf but on behalf of the entire people and government of Canada," said the Prime Minister as he shook hands with Beurling. "Words cannot begin to express the admiration we all feel for your achievements, for your valor and for your marksmanship."

"What is the secret of your achievement?" asked the Prime Minister.

"Well, I was given a good upbringing by my parents," replied the flier.

"That is an answer that will be greatly appreciated by the people of Canada," said the Prime Minister.

The parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beurling of Verdun, Que., with two smaller brothers and a married sister and her husband, were grouped around the Prime Minister and George as this exchange took place.

WOULD GO BACK

At the press interview afterwards, Beurling said he was glad to come back to Canada to see his family, but for no other reason. After his visit at home he wanted to get back to Malta.

Beurling still limped from the shrapnel wound in the heel he received in his last fight over Malta.

The love of fighting and the desire to get back to it was evident in his every remark. A girl reporter asked if bailing out by parachute was a "terrifying experience."

"Oh, no. I'd like to do it again," he said.

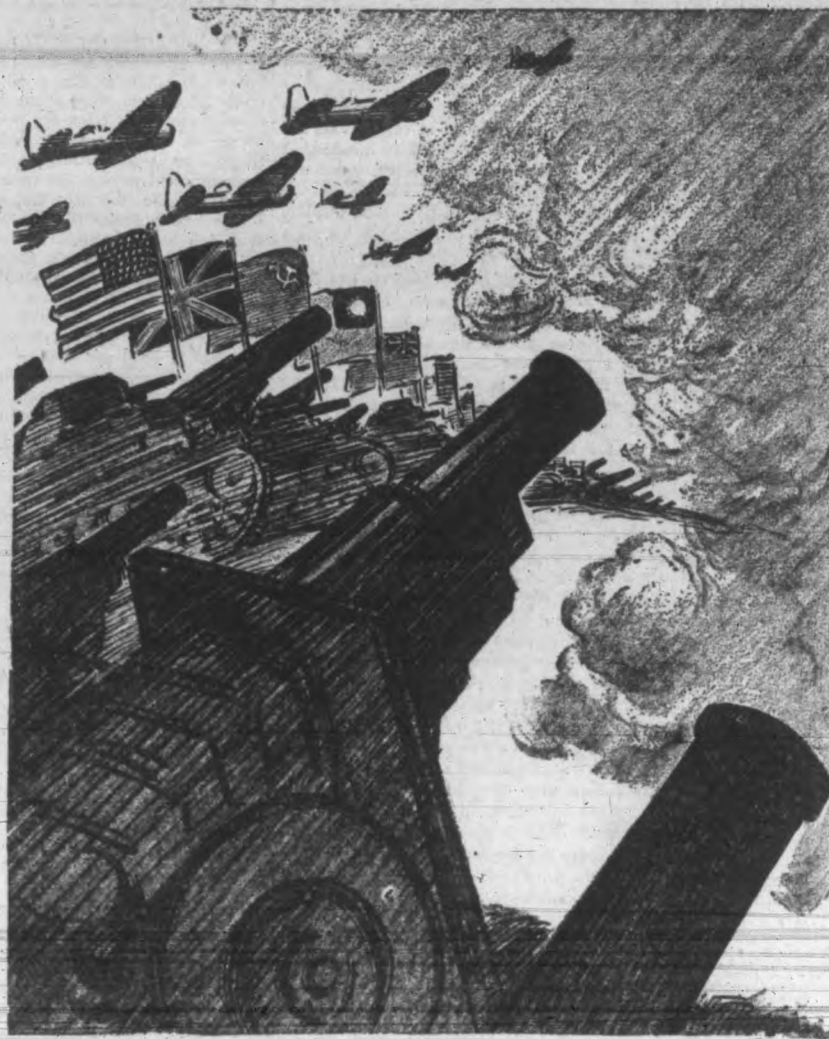
"Did you get the guy who shot you down?" asked another reporter.

"No, but I got his pal," came the prompt response.

Other questions brought out the fact that Beurling is writing a book on air fighting and that it is almost finished.

The deadly marksmanship which accounts for Beurling's air victories did not come by accident.

'No Armistice!' Day



He said he had practiced shooting for 14 or 15 years. As he is only 20 now that takes him back to childhood. He started with a slingshot and later got more experience with a .22 calibre rifle.

Secret Service Man Gave Information On Black Dragon

VANCOUVER (CP)—A United Church minister told the public hearing into charges by the Vancouver News-Herald that an associate of the Japanese Black Dragon Society exists in British Columbia, that some of his information had come from a secret service agent.

Rev. W. Norman gave evidence Monday after Ted Ward, News-Herald reporter who wrote the news story on the Black Dragon Society, had said one of his sources of information was the clergyman.

Mr. Norman, a member of the Vancouver consultative council to assist the B.C. Security Commission in evacuating Japanese from defence areas, said some of his information had come from a Mr. X.

He said he could not reveal the man's name as he was a secret service agent.

Judge J. C. A. Cameron of Belleville, Ont., conducting the inquiry, asked if he would write the name on a piece of paper. Mr. Norman agreed to do so and the judge said the name would be divulged only to counsel for the News-Herald and the Security Commission.

GIVEN IN CONFIDENCE

Ward repeatedly told the court he could not reveal the names of his informants as they had been given under a pledge of secrecy.

"I am a newspaperman, I cannot reveal the sources of my information," Ward said. "Besides that, some of them did not reveal their names to me."

Judge Cameron said that Ward, by withholding names of so many of his informants, was stultifying the case. He would have to consider whether he wouldn't have to demand that Ward reveal some of the names.

Mr. Norman, former resident of Japan, said he had received information about Japanese who entered Canada illegally and were shielded by Etsuji Morii.

Morii was head of a Japanese committee that worked with the Security Commission in the evacuation.

"Mr. X told me," said Mr. Norman, "that he was working with the R.C.M.P. until he found they were working with Morii, and that he then would not co-operate with the R.C.M.P. any more."

The hearing is continuing.

Christie Street Padre Critical of Abolition

TORONTO (CP)—Lt. Col. the Rev. S. E. Lambert, O.B.E., chaplain of Christie Street Military Hospital, criticized the Dominion Government for abolishing Re-

Letters to Editor

IRON GATES

On behalf of the vital matter of wartime salvage of materials to supply the demand, I would like to suggest the immediate contact with Ottawa regarding the taking down and scrapping of all iron railings and gates on the old Hatley Park estate and the R.N. Barracks, Esquimalt, and other government-owned properties.

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Admiral Darlan

WHAT IS PASSING THROUGH THE mind of Admiral Jean Francois Darlan as he "enjoys" the hospitality of a United States General in Algiers can be better imagined than described. Only a few days ago he had presumably encouraged the fighting men of the French colonial empire to resist any attacks which might be made on them, any threat to the integrity of the territory they were pledged to defend, and, generally, to uphold the honor of France—of which Petain has spoken so frequently in such glib terms since the betrayal at Bordeaux in the early summer of 1940. What the future holds for the Anglophobe Darlan will be revealed in due course. For the time being his former ministerial post in the Vichy regime has been assumed by the aged Marshal.

While Darlan's particular antipathy to British dates from the Battle of Oran, and although he has retained his dislike of his German masters, it is interesting to recall the first announcement of his passive if not active collaboration with the Reich. It came from Petain himself in the spring of last year in a radio broadcast; and it marked the beginning of Vichy's belief that Hitler would win the war. Here is an extract from the Marshal's message:

"Frenchmen: You have learned that Admiral Darlan recently conferred with Chancellor Hitler. I had approved this meeting in principle. The new interview permits us to light up the road into the future and to continue the conversations that had been begun with the German government. It is no longer a question today of public opinion, often uneasy and badly informed, being able to estimate the chances we are taking or measure the risks we take or judge our acts. For you, the French people, it is simply a question of following me without mental reservations along the path of honor and national interest."

The man who is now "enjoying" the hospitality of an American General in Algiers had constantly and glibly shifted his politics to suit his career, always obliging those in authority—whether Blum, Chautemps or Daladier—and it is well known that as French governments in prewar days changed it was his custom to call in the newspapermen and ask them to forecast him as the next Minister of Marine. He had pulled strings for the establishment of a post in France similar to that which General Keitel held in Germany, with himself at its head; but it availed him little. Perhaps the title which irritated him most was that conferred upon him by the Free French naval leader, Admiral Emile Muselier, who rechristened him "the Admiral of the Capitulation."

It had become axiomatic, of course, that most French naval officers abhorred the British after Oran, not so much because of the circumstances of that unhappy conflict between the ships of former allies, but because the action revealed the British lack of faith in the much-vaunted honor of French naval tradition. Nor do the people of Britain forget that it was none other than Admiral Darlan who sold of the British blockade: "Germans are more generous and more understanding of the needs of humanity than the English."

If Darlan's history be any criterion, it is just possible that he may give his hosts some valuable information, provided, of course, there is a quid pro quo. As far as the disposition of the French fleet is concerned, however, Marshal Petain will probably allow himself to be "persuaded" by his German masters. Adolf Hitler is by this time virtually Fuehrer of all France—but with the greater part of the population almost ready for open revolt. Darlan, then, is safe from the fury of his compatriots.

He Knows Now

SIX WEEKS AGO IN BERLIN'S FAMOUS Sportsplatz, surrounded by Himmler, Keitel, Goebbels and Rommel, Adolf Hitler assumed a new role and tried cheap sarcasm to please his henchmen. But he proved to be a poor hand at it. He began by ridiculing Mr. Churchill's speeches on the beliefs of the democracies and took a fling at the principles of the Atlantic Charter, which, he tried to make out, promised the world "what we have already given the German people." But after assuring his regimented dupes that Stalingrad would be taken—"you can depend upon that"—he selected the "second front" as the text for his prize essay. He had never been frightened by Churchill; the German forces were quite prepared for attack anywhere, though it was difficult to speculate where such an attack would come. So:

With these military idiots one never knows where they will attack. The maddest enterprise may be launched and one never knows what next when faced with such lunatics and drunkards. But wherever this attack comes, the Allies will think themselves lucky if they remain on land for nine hours."

No, when the Fuehrer delivered the speech from which the foregoing extracts are taken he did not know what was in store for him; but "these military idiots, lunatics and drunkards" have let him into the secret. And the American forces which have tem-

porarily "expropriated" a vital part of the northwest African bulge, together with important points on the northern coastline, already have been there many times nine hours. Hitler can retort, of course, that the developments of the weekend have not disturbed German defences on the Atlantic seaboard between the North Cape and the Spanish border.

Quite so; but the Nazi steamroller did not worry about the Maginot Line in the spring of 1940. It went round it. So the United Nations have chosen to ignore the German equivalent for the time being; their forces are trying one way to the back door. How does the "Herrenvolk" like that? Nazidom as a whole is probably thinking how true the Fuehrer was when he said he never knew what these "military idiots" would do next. He had not long to wait to find out. And Stalingrad still stands!

Real Hustle

THERE IS A LITTLE STORY IN ONE of the London dailies which throws further light on John Bull's alleged incapacity to "get a move on" as popularly understood in the outside world. It tells us that sappers of the British Army, helped by civilian labor, have set what is believed to be a world's record in camp construction. In 12 weeks they have built a base depot in the Midlands to house 8,000 troops, erected engineering shops, a 750-bed hospital, laid 18 miles of concrete road and 27 miles of railway track—in fact converted three and a half square miles of hitherto uncultivated meadowland into a military town.

To the sappers it was just a normal routine job in the field and they took it in their stride. Two men stand out in the picture of this achievement. One is the 36-year-old C.O., a lieutenant-colonel. The other is a worker—former strike-maker and hunger-march leader for years. What he says goes for the 5,000 civilian workers on the site. As chief shop steward for the men he persuaded the colonel and the civilian contractors to have a works committee. Secret? "There's no secret," says the steward. "It was just fellowship and a common understanding between army, contractors and men." Secret? "It was just guts," says the colonel. "The chaps have put everything they had into it. And they have proved that if you have the will to do a job you can do it whatever the difficulties."

As an example of the magnitude of the undertaking, 3,750 lorries and 500 railway trucks brought material to the camp site each day—and it was all used by the next. This record of achievement is a striking footnote to the determination of a nation which has been next door to the enemy for more than three years of war. And there is a lesson in this for the peace.

Soliloquy On Flight

FEW GERMANS IN MODERN TIMES have been good psychologists. Adolf Hitler, despite his Austrian ancestry, is far below average. His beer-cellar speech in Munich on Sunday gave him away to the people of the Reich. He let it be known that he did not intend to run away like the Kaiser did in 1918; his resolve was to stay and fight.

What were the little Fuehrers and the 80,000,000 bewildered dupes to make of such thinking out loud? How came the all-highest would-be conqueror of the world to be talking in that fashion? Has he already discerned the writing on the wall? Surely such an outburst in the city which rightly claims to be the cradle of National Socialism indicates Hitler's intuition putting in a little overtime.

But worried Adolf is not so fortunate as Wilhelm was 24 years ago—even though he might be seriously considering the emulation of his predecessor's method of escaping the fire of an aroused populace. No friendly Holland exists to give Hitler sanctuary. None of the junior members of the Axis is likely to fall on his neck in welcome. He will be lucky if he escapes the wrath of his own people when the scales fall from their eyes.

Much blood, unhappily, will be spilled before the Fuehrer's elite guards desert him. In the meantime, however, the German people must be realizing that the developments in Africa on which the Nazi chief based his soliloquy on flight—have produced a complete transformation of the international scene. It bodes ill for their hopes of victory.

Huge Success

ALL CANADA HAS EVERY REASON TO be proud of the success of the Third Victory Loan. It has established a new record and has demonstrated to the government that our people are ready for anything calculated to improve and speed the nation's war effort. Victoria and the island generally did magnificently. British Columbia as a whole is entitled to pat itself on the back. All our friends in the rest of the United Nations have learned, too, that this Dominion is living up to its reputation—that it is pulling its financial weight for victory. If our enemies hoped the Loan would be a failure, they also can mark well the magnificent response of the Canadian people to the second huge loan this year.

Ordered by the Duce to go to Russia and fight, an Alpine regiment says "No." That is what comes of sitting safely in Rome and telling other people to live dangerously.

And it was only a week ago that one of the top-flight Washington correspondents wrote from the capital: "Informed persons here say that the plan is to stage no real large-scale offensive even in 1943."

Bruce Hutchison

NEXT DOOR

IT WAS QUITE A WHILE since I had seen the little boy from next door, who used to appear in these parts pretty frequently but of late has been concentrating on football. However, I am glad to report that his early signs of thrift, which were manifested in many commercial adventures, have not disappeared. I refer, of course, to his efforts on behalf of the nation's food supply.

It occurs to me, as one ignorant of such things, that if he were going in for the production of eggs he might as well use hens that lay eggs of normal size. However, he acquired six bantams free in some mysterious trade (involving a broken bicycle light, I think) and the opportunity was not to be missed. It is true that bantams lay smaller eggs than other hens, but he assured me that the contents are richer in protein, for scientific reasons that I cannot understand. And by offering two bantam eggs for the price of a single normal egg he says he is granting his customers a great favor.

But early in the project the bantams showed such a low standard of morals as almost to wreck the profits. As I am told the story, the bantam rooster, a beautiful bird, with the colors of a pheasant and doubtless extremely attractive to the eye of any hen, has no morals at all. He leads a double life. A good part of the time is spent up at George Pudgeby's barn with the hens there, and it is only when he gets hungry for a good home-cooked meal that he comes down this way to join his legal family.

To tell the truth about it, the henhouse built next door is about the worst feat of architecture I have ever seen, except a certain Thing on Pandora Avenue which must remain nameless to avoid obscene language in this place.

EXPERT ADVICE

THE STRUCTURE NEXT DOOR did not lack for expert advice. The little boy next door called into consultation all his friends and they eventually drew out on paper the plan of a structure four feet by four feet and the same height. You would have thought it could be built in a few hours, but in such matters it is necessary to confer frequently and all last Saturday the architect and his assistant stood around conferring with one another, and with my late tree of Wagner apples, so that by nightfall there was nothing to show for their labors but a small platform on the ground.

By Sunday night, after more conferences, there was a roof, full of holes, and sides which tipped inwards. And the bantam hens gave it one look, sniffed and went off to roost in the trees. Next day the rooster led all his wives up to the barn in a kind of protest, but the hens returned later, jealous, I suppose, of his lady friends who have no legal claim upon his time. But the hens did not roost in the new palace. They roosted in a fir tree.

By this time the completion of the residence had become a financial as well as a physical problem. The architects had run out of nails. To run out of nails at this stage in the war is practically disaster, as you cannot buy them. However, it was discovered that one of the boys had a few but, wise fellow, he would not part with them except at a price which was finally beaten down to 12 cents after a good deal of argument, some apples and various physical threats. But as the bantam hens had not yet started to lay and the whole commercial undertaking was not properly under way, there appeared no method of raising 12 cents. It was there that the little boy next door displayed the commercial genius which, I am confident, will make him a captain of industry and the support of his parents in their old age.

GOOD IDEA

ONE DOES NOT KNOW how the idea came to him. Perhaps looking at the faithless rooster. Perhaps listening to the complaints of his sister, who needed some further ornament for her hat. In any case, after secret thought, he captured the rooster among his concubines up in Pudgeby's barn. He cut from the rooster with sharp scissors all his best and brightest tail feathers, and he sold them throughout the neighborhood at the reasonable price of one cent; and even stood on the corner brandishing them before passers-by and shouting: "Tail feathers, pretty tail feathers, a cent apiece!"

So reasonable was the price, so bright the colors, that custom was not hard to find. By evening the entrepreneur had raised not 12 cents but 27. And I take it that this is the first time on record that a rooster has produced more than a hen.

The nails were thus purchased, but by this time lumber had run out. It was necessary, therefore, to tear down a playhouse built next door when the children were young. This was the famous playhouse, as duly recorded in these chronicles long ago, under which Nipper, the yellow dog, was supposed to be hiding, wounded, which compelled us to lift up all the floor to rescue him, and he was then discovered asleep on the outside of a birthday cake in the woods; the same playhouse under which the little girl next door lost her red rubber ball, when we refused to take up the floor the second time.

And thus I am glad to be able to conclude this chronicle of thrift, construction and salvage in wartime by saying that, sure enough, when the floor was lifted to provide lumber for the bantam house, there was the rubber ball, red no longer but still rubber, and it has gone to the salvage people. Now, if the bantam pullets don't turn out to be all roosters, and if they can be kept here instead of drifting up to the glittering delights of Pudgeby's barn, there may also be some eggs about here.

Teacher In a Democracy

By DR. JOHN M. EWING

MANY and heavy are the duties of the teacher in a democratic state, but more numerous and heavier have been the books written to elaborate these duties. Indeed, so much attention has been directed during the past 20 years to the teacher and his democratic function that nothing very original remains to be said. All I can hope to do is present old ideas with a new emphasis.

Before going on to do so, however, and in order that we may have common ground beneath our feet, I shall set down a few fundamental statements on which we agree. Proceeding thus, we shall be in no danger of producing unsupported and merely personal opinions.

1. The life-blood of democracy is truth. Only dictatorships require to deal in concealment and lies. If men and women, as members of society, are to live together in amity and justice, there must be genuine confidence among them. Every field of thought must be open to honest inquiry and every socially significant truth must be at the disposal of all.

2. Truth does not come of itself. Unbiased observation, pertinacious research, strict trial and cautious appraisal—these are the exacting means by which it is achieved. Enlightenment comes only through the hard processes of thought.

3. Thinking is an art. Many attempt it but few do it well. Thinking, like music or painting or literature, has its techniques; and these techniques are acquired only through study and practice. For the most part, they have to be taught in order to be learned.

4. Though truth itself—the abstract idea of truth—may be eternal, yet the forms of truth are subject to unceasing variation. As human ingenuity and invention constantly change the face of the world, so also there must be continual readjustment of human thought and behavior. For the truths of yesterday are not sufficient for the enterprises of today.

Let me now, basing what I have to say on these four fundamental statements, indicate what the role of the teacher in a democracy must be. It includes three chief elements, which are: First, the inculcation of those processes by which truth is found and recognized; second, the putting of pupils in possession of the techniques of thinking; and third, the establishment in their minds of the vital fact that search for truth is continuous and progressive. In brief, the democratic teacher is concerned primarily with truth—with its discovery, its intelligent appropriation and its unceasing development.

By way of contrast, and to drive the point home, consider the function of a teacher in Germany. Hopelessly divorced from verifiable truth, not only must he teach nonsense but he must so befog the mental processes of his pupils that the guise of reason. Thus they appropriate the absurdity of Aryanism, together with a hundred other falsehoods upon which the totalitarian system is precariously founded. The German teacher must avoid honest science as you would avoid the devil. His sole concern with the truth is to devise means of circumventing it.

There is a lesson for us here. The fanatical or prejudiced teacher—however able he may be in other ways—has no place in the democratic school. It matters not how excellent his character or how pure his intentions; he fails in the primary function he is

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BLOOD DONORS

Notice the appeal for blood donors is not meeting with the response anticipated but the blame must not be placed solely on Victorians' lack of interest in the appeal "give half a pint of blood and save a life."

The office on Government, across the street from the Post Office, is open from Monday to Friday between the hours of 10 in the morning until 3 in the afternoon. The trouble with that for most workers is that it means taking a day or half a day off work unless the worker is in a downtown office where he can skip off for half an hour. If instead of being open from 10 in the morning to 3 in the afternoon the office were open from 3 in the afternoon until 10 at night it would probably get far more donors.

DEATH CLOCK

Here is a story of heroism of Dr. Otakar Sedlacek, 80-year-old Czechoslovakian citizen, forwarded by a Victoria air force man overseas that should be put in your scrapbook of war heroes. The doctor, a highly-respected citizen of an ancient town, was a famous collector of clocks and had inherited a museum containing 500 old timepieces.

Among them was one clock known as the death clock the mechanism of which was known only to his most intimate friends. It stood in the middle of the room and had never struck 12 o'clock. Its sinister mechanism was once to have blown up a palace.

A few days after the occupation of the town by the Nazis, the Gestapo men ordered the collection removed to Berlin. The doctor agreed and invited them to inspect the collection that evening before it was shipped.

At 12 o'clock there was a terrific explosion. The house was burned to the ground.

Dr. Sedlacek had set the secret mechanism of the clock in motion a few minutes before the Gestapo arrived. Next morning the remains of Dr. Sedlacek and six Gestapo agents were found among the charred ruins.

JAPANESE SLAVERY

In the same mail comes a story of labor conditions in Japan. Factories are little better than prison compounds, it says. Workers live in dormitories at the factory and are not allowed to leave after the day's work except when an occasional permit is given. Smokers are rationed to two cigarettes a day. Workers are mostly girls from 16 years onwards. They wear black uniforms. Discipline is strict. There is no laughter or chatter. They work a fifteen-hour day, beginning at 5 in the morning. Only office workers are allowed to sit. They are told "food and clothes will soon come from conquered Australia," but in the meantime they make do with a bowl of

rice, a plateful of fish and seaweed and a dish of weak tea.

CITIES UNDERGROUND

The same air force man also sends some information on how London may live in case of more air raids. Eight new shelters in London's underground system will protect 65,000 men, women and children. Each shelter is equipped with canteens and hospital accommodation, nurses, doctors and ambulance crews. More are being built and all on a scale that will make it possible for complete communities of 8,000 persons to live in any one of them for long periods in safety and comfort and be well fed.

DISCRIMINATION

This is an opportune time to again draw attention to the penalty the wives of men in the services pay when a wife follows her husband's example and dons a uniform. First thing that happens is that she is deprived of the \$35 a month separation allowance.

She receives approximately \$30 a month as a C.W.A.C. or as a member of one of the other services. Financially she loses approximately \$5 a month, but is clothed, housed and fed. The government recently ruled that soldiers' wives working in the public service should be entitled to receive the \$35 separation allowance. Unless public services are meant to include the C.W.A.C., the W.R.C.N.S. and the Air Force Women's Division the discrimination is obviously unfair and unjust.

Birmingham boy cadets of 17 and 18 are being used as instructors. Dads who were veterans of World War One are sometimes among those in their squads.

Among the names on the French underground list, scheduled to be tried or assassinated for collaborating with the Germans is Georges Carpentier, pugilist, and Maurice Chevalier, actor.

A. M. D. Fairbairn To Show Sketches

Water color sketches by A. M. D. Fairbairn will be on exhibition in the new art gallery of David Spencer Limited from Nov. 16 to 25 inclusive. The exhibit will be formally opened next Monday afternoon at 3 by Mrs. J. W. Spencer and the proceeds will aid the Navy League of Canada, Victoria and Island division. Mr. Fairbairn's work is very well known and this collection will include pictures painted during a sketching trip in the Kelowna, Vernon, Kamloops, Ashcroft and Sooke districts of British Columbia last spring.

FO. Harry Dawson, R.C.A.F., has arrived from McLeod, Alta., to spend a short leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dawson, 10 Douglas Street.

Three Island Units Reach 150% Quota

Victory Loan officials Monday stated that final figures on the Third Victory Loan campaign will not be available till the end of the week, but to date total \$14,852,600 for the Vancouver Island units. Late returns indicate subscriptions nearly \$2,000,000 above the original objective.

Oak Bay and Saanich-Gulf Islands units made up for a slow start by a final effort which carried them well over their quotas, and gives Vancouver Island Division 100 per cent successful objectives. Oak Bay purchased \$58,000 worth of bonds in the last few hours to give them a total of \$1,103,500, over the mark by \$50,000. Saanich-Gulf Islands reports \$882,500 as against their quota of \$835,000.

Esquimalt, Alberni and Nanaimo each exceeded their objectives by 50 per cent.

Figures to date stand as follows: Victoria, \$9,311,800; Oak Bay, \$1,103,500; Esquimalt, \$787,300; Saanich-Gulf Islands, \$882,500; Nanaimo, \$759,400; Alberni, \$563,200; Cowichan-Duncan, \$902,400; Courtenay-Comox, \$342,500. Figures of the entire island will

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Air observers—R. C. Scrim, D. Stewart, both of Vancouver; J. K. Eadie, Ocean Falls. Air gunners—W. M. Meyers, Vancouver; R. D. Simnell, Trail; G. S. B. Newman, Victoria.

Patricia Bay Airport Builder Dies

VANCOUVER (CP)—Jas E. Mackenzie, 57, one of B.C.'s best-known civil engineers, died suddenly here Monday following a stroke.

A younger brother of Maj.-Gen. J. P. Mackenzie, quartermaster general in the Canadian Army, he spent most of his career on construction projects, including much of the airport at Patricia Bay, naval docks at Bremerton, Wash., and the British Pacific properties in West Vancouver.

Pipers' Society Host To Fusiliers Band

More than 200 guests attended Saturday night an entertainment of the Vancouver Island Pipers' Society who were hosts to the Regimental Pipe Band of the Edmonton Fusiliers, 1st Battalion.

As a tribute to the Veterans' Guard, which was in attendance, the Fusiliers' Pipe Band played "Muckin' of Gordie's Byre." The program, to which the band contributed, included marches, pipe and drum selections.

Among the entertainers were Pipe-Cpl. H. A. MacLean, orderly piper for the day; Pipers L. Cpl. G. Adam and Pte. R. C. Kerr; Piper Pte. D. MacLellan, Piper Pte. W. Groundwater, Piper Pte. R. S. McPherson, Piper Pte. G. Ingram, Piper Pte. D. MacGregor and Pipe-Major E. J. Peden, holder of the Piper's Star for Piobaireachd.

Ranger Chief Guest

Lt.-Col. T. A. H. Taylor, O.B.E., M.C., of Vancouver, commanding officer of the Pacific Coast Militia Rangers, was guest Saturday night at a smoker of the No. 4 Company (Saanich) Rangers. The smoker was held at the Brentwood Women's Institute Hall.

Other guests among the 100 attending were Col. "Cy" Peck, V.C., Capt. Acland, and Rangers of the neighboring No. 3 Company. Capt. M. Atkins was in charge of arrangements.

Entertainment was provided by the R.C.A. Concert Party, now touring B.C. Refreshments were supplied by members of the Brentwood Bay Women's Institute.

Novel Insurance Plan

SPRINGHILL, N.S. (CP)—Some 2,000 members of the United Mine Workers, railway employees and staff of the coal company have taken out a mass "insurance policy." Members of the society pay no premiums, but when one dies, each of the other chins in with 50 cents to provide about \$1,000 for dependents of the deceased member.

Prince Rupert Man Dies of Gun Wound

Fatally wounded by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, Bern Daly, employed by the Armour Salvage Company of Prince Rupert, died Sunday in Port Simpson Hospital, Provincial Police headquarters was advised today.

Daly was working on a scow when the shotgun went off, hitting him in the side and right arm.

Police headquarters was also advised today two Indians were burned to death at Hazelton Sunday. No further details were received.

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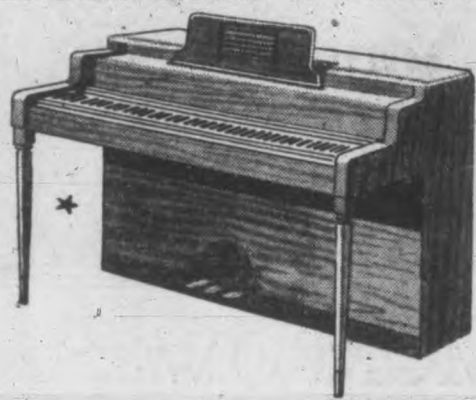
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SCURRAHS

Local Council Endorses Woman Civic Candidate

Mrs. A. C. Ross of Gorge Road will be a candidate for aldermanic honors in the forthcoming civic elections. This announcement by a representative of the University Women's Club at the meeting of the Local Council of Women Monday afternoon was received with enthusiastic applause, as Mrs. Ross has held office in both the Local and Provincial Councils of Women and has proved herself an indefatigable worker and keen student of public affairs.

The meeting also learned with interest that Mrs. A. S. Christie may seek re-election to the Victoria School Board, that Mrs. Harold Beckwith has been asked to run for the Oak Bay School Board, and that Mrs. Alice McGregor will again be a candidate for civic honors. The council took the opportunity of reiterating its stand in favor of women entering public life on the ground that they have a distinct contribution to make to the public weal.

The importance of nutrition in the war effort was emphasized by Mrs. Alex Straith, who as convener of hygiene, presented a report from the National convener showing that Swift's Foundation is giving five fellowships for research in nutrition to five Canadian universities. She announced that Miss Frances McKay, graduate of Manitoba University and post-graduate of Cornell, will visit each province in organizing nutritionists and giving refresher courses, and leading round table discussions, and will be in Victoria shortly.

Resolutions to be presented at the forthcoming semiannual meeting of the Provincial Council in Vancouver were considered, together with suggested changes in the constitution. Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, the president, was

chosen as the council's delegate to the meeting.

TO APPROACH C.P.R.

Mrs. Hugh McKenzie, as convener on conservation of natural resources, spoke of negotiations now pending between the provincial government and certain timber owners for the preservation of beauty spots at Butties Lake and Cathedral Grove. She went back to 1936 to show that the Local Council had never ceased its vigilance in regard to the province's scenic assets in the way of magnificent timbers. At the close of her symposium, Mrs. McKenzie was authorized to write the C.P.R. suggesting that a gift of the company's small strip of timber adjacent to Little Qualicum Falls would not only be an asset to the company's tourist enterprise but would be a gesture much appreciated by the people of the province to-day and in the future.

Mrs. Blair Reid received congratulations on being re-elected president of the Catholic Women's League, and Mrs. F. G. Grevel of Calgary, formerly National officer and president of the Calgary Local Council of Women, was welcomed.

NURSES' CENSUS

An appeal was made by Miss M. Meta Hodge that all nurses register between Nov. 12 and 18 at David Spencer's where a booth will be arranged for that purpose.

The Royal Norwegian government's press attache in Canada, Montreal, wrote expressing appreciation at the recent motion of the council commenting the act of Norwegian teachers in refusing to teach Nazi doctrines in their schools, and he will be glad to send pamphlets, "Norway's Schools in Battle of Freedom," to those interested.

Children's Ball Plans Completed

The annual Children's Ball, under the auspices of Navy League Chapter I.O.D.E., will be held Dec. 28; it was announced at the meeting of the chapter held Monday, with the regent, Mrs. J. L. Ford, in the chair. Mrs. Ford will be general convener and prizes will be given for the best costumes in each group. A report on the annual dance held at Robert House for boys in the forces was given by Mrs. A. Kent and was a success.

Mrs. Biggin, war convener, reported seven knitted articles for the forces valued at \$9.60, and six articles for the children of bombed areas valued at \$3.75, had been completed. Knitted articles on hand include two turtle-neck sweaters, two scarfs, four pair socks and gloves, 10 ditty bags valued at approximately \$4.06 each. This makes a total of 35 bags contributed by the chapter for men at sea. The book drive was an outstanding success, over 2,000 books and some cash being donated. The chapter was responsible on Oct. 29 for taking in 122 books and 50 cents.

It was moved that the chapter send a Christmas parcel to boys and girls in the forces who are immediate relatives to members. The sum of \$6 was voted for the Red Cross workroom in memory of Remembrance Day.

ENGAGEMENTS

TAYLOR-ANNETT

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Annett, 2529 Bowker Avenue, Oak Bay, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Norma, to 2nd Lieut. Jack B. Taylor, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Taylor, Winnipeg, the wedding to take place in Saskatoon the latter part of November.

CHESTERMAN-BECKETT

Mr. and Mrs. J. Beckett, 2211 Sayward Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Lillian, to Arthur Thomas Chesterman of Vancouver. The wedding will take place Nov. 28 in St. Barnabas' Church.

PATTERSON-BAKER

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Baker of Ganges Harbor announce the engagement of their only daughter, Nancy Loretta, to Mr. Robert Meldram Patterson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patterson of Beaver Point, South Salt Spring Island. The wedding will take place quietly at Ganges Harbor Nov. 19.

CHAPTER DANCE

The Victory Chapter "Ahepa" Greek Lodge will hold a dance on Tuesday, Nov. 24, at the A.O.F. Hall, all proceeds in aid of the Canadian Red Cross Society. Music will be supplied by Len Acres' Orchestra, and dancing is from 9 until 1 o'clock. Any one wishing tickets may obtain same from the Victoria and District Branch, 602 Broughton Street, as well as from members of the Greek Lodge.

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MISS AUDREY FLEMING

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fleming, Hammond, B.C., announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Audrey Christine, 1545 Richmond Avenue, Victoria, to L. Cpl. Earl Everett Richards, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Richards, Tako, Sask. The wedding will take place in Wilkie, Sask., Nov. 28.

Social and Personal

Mr. C. E. Wynn-Johnson of Vancouver and Mrs. A. L. Wilson of Cobourg, Ont., father and sister, respectively, of Mrs. W. C. Woodward, will arrive in Victoria tomorrow to attend the wedding of Sub-Lt. Glen McDonald, R.C.N.V.R., and Miss Elizabeth Woodward Thursday. Miss Mary Twigg Woodward has arrived from school at Shawinigan Lake for her sister's wedding. Rev. Father Whitehead of St. James' Church, Vancouver, who will perform the ceremony with Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of Columbia, will also be a guest at Government House. This afternoon Capt. and Mrs. F. L. Houghton, 1721 Rockland Avenue, entertained at an informal after-five party for the wedding principals. Miss Diana Spencer, who is to be a bridesmaid, arrived this afternoon from the east.

After spending five weeks at Ganges, the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Peters, Mrs. John Blair left on Saturday for Vancouver en route by plane for Calgary.

Mrs. H. B. Olson has returned to her home on Shasta Place from Heppner, Ore., where she went to attend the funeral Friday of her mother, Mrs. A. Newlin, who passed away there on Tuesday, Nov. 3.

Nov. 16 has been set for the wedding of Kathleen Ena (Peggy), third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bradley, 322 Edward Street, and Leading Stoker George Hall, R.C.N., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hall, 816 Pembroke Street. The ceremony will take place in St. Saviour's Church at 8.30 p.m.

The wedding arranged for today at Holy Trinity Cathedral, Quebec, P.Q., between Anne Clemency, only daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Wilfrid Ord, Cook Street, and Sub-Lt. Dennis Boyce Perrins, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold M. Perrins, Cornwall Avenue, has been postponed, as Sub-Lt. Perrins had an operation for appendicitis last Sunday. A telegram announcing this, received yesterday, says he is doing well.

On the occasion of the second birthday of her young daughter, Dale Iris, Mrs. P. H. Brown of 2361 Zela Street, Oak Bay, entertained at a children's party. The invited guests were of contemporary ages and attended with their mothers, including Mrs. F. Gibson and Linda, Mrs. H. M. Rider and Karen, Mrs. T. W. Hunter and Bruce, Mrs. E. Pope and Heather, Mrs. L. Lane and Sharon, Mrs. F. Kennedy and Greg, Mrs. K. Davis and Keith, Mrs. D. Humphries and David, and Mrs. A. C. Radford. A pink and white birthday cake centred the prettily-decorated table, flanked by two tall pink tapers.

Mrs. F. C. Hurry, 898 Front Street, and her daughter, Miss Norma Hurry, entertained Monday evening at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Alice Greek, whose marriage to Mr. B. D. Vallille, R.C.A., will take place next week. Miss Alice Campbell drew the many gifts into the room on a gun carriage, cleverly made to complement the groom-elect who is in an artillery regiment. A corsage bouquet of pink carnations was also presented to the bride-to-be. Candid camera shots were taken during the evening and later a buffet supper was served by the hostess. Other guests were Mesdames W. Stone, J. McKeivie, J. Bell, J. Hamilton, C. Bailey, J. Scott, E. Orchard, and Misses Jean Kincaid, Betty Campbell, Betty Kirby, Myra Batchelor and Mimi Bailey.

Honoring Miss Alice Findler, whose marriage to Mr. A. Dickson will take place shortly, Mrs. K. R. Findler, Lampson Street, entertained at the tea hour Sunday. Mrs. Charles Little and Miss Beverley Findler assisted the hostess. The bride-to-be received many lovely gifts of linen from the assembled guests. Others present were Mesdames H. Findler, J. R. Johnston, J. Moon, George O'Neil, N. Hill, H. Austin, C. McAllister, W. Broadhurst and N. Findler.

Mrs. R. J. Clarke, 414 Vancouver Street, was hostess at a miscellaneous shower Friday evening in honor of Miss Jean Taylor, whose marriage to L. Cpl. Alex Hutcheson will take place shortly. The gifts were concealed in a beautifully-dressed doll. The guests were Mesdames T. Cole, A. McKeachie, H. Rourke, J. B. Hodgins, W. A. Gosse, P. Nielsen, D. Smith, K. Reid, K. S. Patrick, R. W. Marsh, A. M. Taylor, A. Hull, J. Woods, J. D. McNeill, M. Loudoun, G. G. Rennie, D. McAdams, A. Ockwell, W. Hughes, A. Alexander, T. A. McConnell, B. E. Robertson, the Misses Mary McKeachie, Helen Coton, Judy Pierce, Margaret Marshall, Lowrie Mobly and Diane Hull. Lavender chrysanthemums adorned the supper table, at which Mrs. R. W. Marsh, Mrs. A. Hull and Ms. J. Woods presided.

Clubwomen's News

I.O.D.E. members will attend Remembrance Day service at the cenotaph Wednesday morning at 11.

James Bay Study Group to meet at home of Mrs. R. Duncan, 15 Clarence Street, Thursday, Nov. 19, at 2.

West group of the Oak Bay United Church W.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Bartlett, 885 Oliver Street, Wednesday, at 2.45.

Miss Margaret Webster, Girls' Work secretary of the Board of Sabbath Schools, and the W.M.S. of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, will visit this city from Nov. 13 to 16, she will speak to the W.M.S. and auxiliaries Friday at 8 in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Church, and will meet with the G.G.I.T. groups and leaders Saturday at 3 at the same place. She will speak to the children at St. Paul's Sunday school at 10 a.m. and officiate at the Sunday evening service in Gorge Church at 7.30.

A new flag has been purchased for Esquimalt Memorial Park by Mary Croft Esquimalt Chapter I.O.D.E., it was made known at the meeting held recently and members were asked to attend the memorial service on Remembrance Day at the park. War certificates to the value of \$75 have been purchased by the chapter. Mrs. J. Quinn reported collecting 4,150 magazines, 285 books, 25 games, 200 records and five pounds silver paper. Knitted goods to the value of \$20 have been turned in, Mrs. Bishop reported. Toys were sent to the two adopted children in the Solarium, and a Halloween party was given Esquimalt Brownie Pack. The treasurer, Mrs. Warren Smith, presented the bank balance, showing \$247.29, with \$23.80 in the war account. Members stood in silent tribute to F.L.T. Symons.

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"I should like to thank you very warmly on behalf of Mrs. Martin and the committee of this fund for your magnificent effort in collecting things for us to be sent to Russia." Will you also thank our behalf the various conveners who contributed the blankets and other things. They will be sent to Russia at the earliest possible moment and will help in some measure to relieve the terrible suffering there. We much appreciate your support and interest and are looking forward to receiving the other garments you promised us."

The league also sent a consignment to Malta, and a grateful letter of thanks has been received from the Netherlands Legation in London for clothing received by them.

Mrs. MacDonald joins her thanks to the above to all the generous individuals and groups whose gifts and splendid co-operation makes this work possible.

On Sunday morning after service an interesting ceremony took place in the new vestry of St. Luke's Church, when, on behalf of the wardens, committee and congregation, Rev. Frederick Elke presented Eric Edwards with an electric mahogany mantel clock, in appreciation of his services at St. Luke's Church as organist, prior to his joining the active army.

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At Peters House Opening Weddings



Mrs. J. K. Savage of Toronto between Dr. Olga Jardine, left, and Mrs. A. U. Sanderson at the opening of the new C.W.A.C. hostess house at Esquimalt.

Official opening Monday afternoon of Peters House as a recreation and canteen centre for the C.W.A.C. at Work Point Barracks, elicited enthusiastic comment from Mrs. J. L. Savage, chairman of the War Services of the National Y.W.C.A., and Mrs. A. U. Sanderson, chairman of personnel, who arrived in Victoria this weekend from Toronto.

Both are on a tour inspecting hostess-houses across Canada, and in company with Dr. Olga Jardine, National Y.W.C.A. liaison officer for B.C., opened the new centre to nearly 100 guests. Members of the C.W.A.C., senior officers of the army, air force and navy, representatives of War Services and the Y.W.C.A. board and committees were invited; also presidents of women's organizations which have offered to take regular weekly duties as hostesses in the canteen.

CHARMING DECORATIONS

The interior of Peters House has undergone amazing transformation at the hands of a special Y.W.C.A. committee under the leadership of Mrs. John Baxter. Much credit is due Mrs. A. A. Cooper, who, as a professional interior decorator, has given her services with such splendid results.

None of the severity of "bar-tracks" is evidenced here. Floral chintzes and smart striped fabrics inject warmth and cheerfulness into the spacious white rooms. On the main floor are three sitting-rooms, one containing writing desks, a bright dining-room with 11 green-topped tables of natural wood, the canteen and kitchen. Upstairs are the offices of the clerical staff.

Fireplaces in each room, well-placed lamps and plenty of low coffee tables give a truly home atmosphere. Mrs. Sanderson was particularly impressed with the abundance and beauty of Vic-

toria's flowers, as she said they were all over in the east long before she left.

WITHIN BUDGET

Dr. Jardine in a few words of congratulation to those who have worked so hard to make Peters House an exceptionally fine relaxation and recreation centre for the girls in uniform, emphasized that the furnishings were strictly within the regulation budget allowance, and no effort had been spared to make the project economical as well as attractive. She added that on receiving word that Mrs. Savage and Mrs. Sanderson would be in Victoria on a visit, "hurry" was the key word, with the fortunate result that the two events were coincident.

MRS. SAVAGE

"I feel very thrilled to be here," Mrs. Savage replied. "It has been my happy lot to open a number of military and air force hostess-houses, but never before a C.W.A.C. canteen."

She pointed out that the work of the War Service Committee of the Y.W.C.A., which started as a voluntary effort, was now government subsidized, and has developed to the extent of 44 hostess houses and 9 barracks and training centres for C.W.A.C. and two for R.C.A.F. (W.D.).

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ross Crane and members of the Y.W.C.A. program committee at both the formal opening in the afternoon and the C.W.A.C. entertainment in the evening.

Members of the committee responsible for the preparation of Peters House, under Mrs. Baxter, were: Mrs. W. G. Hamilton, Mrs. Ross Crane, Mrs. A. A. Cooper and Mrs. E. Bean.

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FRITSCH-SIMMONS

At the Lady Chapel of Christ Church Cathedral this morning at 10:15, Very Rev. Spencer Elliott, Dean of Columbia, united in marriage Miss Daphne Marjorie St. Aubyn Simmons and Mr. Leslie Carl Fritsch. The bride is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Simmons, 712 Cook Street, and the bridegroom the only son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Fritsch, 58 Wellington Avenue.

Large white chrysanthemums were arranged on either side of the altar and tall vases of mauve chrysanthemums stood on either side of the main aisle. The organist played the Mendelssohn wedding march as the bride entered the chapel with her father, who gave her in marriage.

She wore a smart two-piece suit of sepia brown gabardine, with chic model hat in moss green, her accessories being of python skin. Orchids fashioned her corsage bouquet, Mrs. Harold E. Haynes was her sister's only attendant, wearing an angora wool dress in the new Mayflower shade, with model hat in black and accessories to match. Her corsage bouquet was of cream Tailsman roses. Mr. Jack D. Wilson was best man.

Mrs. Donald Creighton of Vancouver, cousin of the bride, was among the guests welcomed at the reception held at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Simmons received in a black two-piece suit of angora, edged with silver fox, matching black accessories, and a shoulder spray of gardenias. She was assisted by Mrs. Fritsch, mother of the bridegroom, in a rose two-piece dress of angora wool, with navy blue accessories, and her flowers were pink Tailsman roses.

Huge white and bronze chrysanthemums were arranged throughout the reception rooms. The wedding cake, mounted on a silver tray surrounded with pale pink tulle and matching rosebuds, centred the lace-covered table from which the buffet luncheon was served.

For the honeymoon trip to the mainland the bride donned a matching topcoat over her wedding outfit. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Fritsch will make their home at 446 Linden Avenue.

MITCHELL-HARDWICK

Of interest to his friends in Victoria is the marriage of Mr. Charles George Mitchell, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Mitchell, 885 Craigflower Road, to Miss Olive Hardwick of Edmonton, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hardwick of Westbank, B.C., which took place October 3 at All Saints' Cathedral, Edmonton, with Rev. Canon Trendell officiating.

Mr. Mitchell graduated from No. 2 A.O.S. at Edmonton on Oct. 23. Since then he has received a commission and is to take a two weeks' instructor's course following his leave. Mrs. Mitchell has been on Johnstone-Walker's staff, Edmonton, for the past three years.

The happy couple are spending their leave at the home of the groom's parents in Victoria.

ALEXANDER-DAVIES

St. Aidan's United Church was the scene of a pretty wedding Saturday evening when Lillian Davies, younger daughter of Mr. Meth Davies, Hollywood Crescent, and the late Mrs. Davies, was united in marriage to James George Alexander, eldest son of Mrs. George Alexander of New Westminster. Rev. T. G. Griffiths officiated. Mrs. Mason played the wedding music, and as the register was being signed Mrs. W. C. Williams sang "Because."

Given in marriage by her father, the charming bride wore an afternoon dress of gold crepe, trimmed with brown, and brown accessories. Onocidium and odontoglossum orchids showered with rosebuds composed the bridal bouquet. Her matron of honor was Mrs. E. P. Curtis, who wore an afternoon dress of forest green crepe trimmed with dark green velvet and beige accessories, and carried a bouquet of gold chrysanthemums and yellow carnations. Mr. Leonard Lineham supported the groom and acting as ushers were Mr. J. C. Williams and Mr. W. C. Williams.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lineham, Arnold Avenue. Mrs. Lineham, assisted by Mrs. M. A. Lewis, received the guests. The reception room was beautifully decorated in pink and white and the bridal couple accepted the congratulations and good wishes of the guests beneath a floral arch. The toast to the bride was given by Mr. David Evans and one to the matron of honor was given by Mrs. M. A. Lewis. The bride cut her three-tiered wedding cake, which stood on a lace-covered table bordered by pink candles. The Welsh Glee Party rendered choruses.

The happy couple will spend their honeymoon in Victoria and elsewhere in the south and will later reside in Prince Rupert.

CAMPBELL-BRAYSHAW

At a quiet ceremony on Saturday afternoon in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Ellen Jean, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Brayshaw, 1263 Bay Street, was united in marriage to L. Bdr. Ian Hunter Campbell, R.C.A., second son of Mrs. P. J. Campbell, 217 Cook Street, and the late Major Campbell. The bride was attended by Miss Edith Page and the groom was supported by Mr. Nelson Brayshaw. Rev. J. L. W. McLean was the officiating minister.

REIMER-GARDNER

St. Paul's United Church, Sidney, was the scene of a quiet wedding Saturday evening when Jean Carlow, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gardner, East Saanich Road, was united in marriage to Cornelius J. Reimer, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reimer, Sardis, B.C. Rev. D. M. Perley officiated, with Mrs. Perley presiding at the organ. The hymns, "Unto the Hills Around" and "O God of Bethel," were sung by the congregation.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a street-length dress of French blue with French turban of wine and matching accessories. Her corsage bouquet was of red roses and sweet allium. The young couple were unattended. Brothers of the bride, Messrs. W. W. Gardner and James Gardner, acted as ushers.

A reception, for members of the immediate families only, was held at the home of the bride's parents, where guests were received by the bride's mother and Mrs. Geo. Reimer, sister of the groom. Both wore corsage bouquets, of pink carnations. The bride's table was centred with a two-tier wedding cake flanked with tall white tapers and white carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Reimer left for a honeymoon on the mainland, for which the bride donned a black coat with fur trim. Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reimer, and son, Reggie, of Vancouver; Mrs. C. A. Foese and Miss Louise Reimer of Sardis, B.C. Among the many gifts was a trillite lamp from members of the church organizations where the bride had been an active worker for several years.

BUTLER-MOIR

A quiet wedding took place Saturday evening at 8 in Queen of Peace Church, when Rev. Father J. B. Jullion united in marriage Winifred Anne, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Moir, 916 Russell Street, and Mr. Vincent R. Butler, son of Mr. W. S. Butler, Keatings, and the late Mrs. Butler. Miss M. MacKay played the wedding music, and the bride's brother, Mr. Walter Moir, sang "Ave Maria" during the signing of the register.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and wore a floor-length frock of white crepe de chine, and her veil fell from a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of red roses and white carnations. The attendants were Mrs. Eric Moir, in pale pink georgette, and Mrs. W. Peacock in pale blue, with contrasting shoulder-length veils of tulle, held by fresh flowers. Their bouquets were of white carnations and mauve chrysanthemums. Mr. O. Sheron supported the groom and Messrs. Clarence Butler, and Walter Moir acted as ushers.

A reception was held at the Skinner Street Hall, Esquimalt, where Mrs. Moir received the guests wearing an olive green gown with black accessories, assisted by Mrs. J. Crossley, sister of the bridegroom, gown in beige with a matching hat. The bride's table was centred with three-tier wedding cake, complemented by pink tapers in silver holders, and vases of pink carnations.

After a honeymoon in Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. Butler will make their home at Seven Oaks. For traveling, the bride wore a rose wool frock, with a matching tweed coat, and black accessories.

To Show Travelogues In French Friday

A series of films of England and Canada will be shown Friday night at 8 in the Chamber of Commerce by the French Canadian Club. The pictures have been loaned by the Canadian Film Board of Ottawa.

While intended primarily for the entertainment of members of the three forces, the showings will afford a splendid opportunity to the French-speaking people of Victoria, members of L'Alliance France-Libre and students, as the accompanying travelogue will be in French.

Tickets may be obtained at the door and interested citizens are invited.

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Tells What Women Favor in Postwar Reconstruction

That women of British Columbia are giving deep and careful consideration to postwar reconstruction and rehabilitation was made patent at the Sons of England Hall Monday evening, when Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., told a large gathering held under the auspices of the postwar committee of the Local Council of Women some of the impressions she had gained during her recent tour of the interior with the B.C. Postwar Reconstruction Council.

In each of the communities visited, women's groups, notably Women's Institutes, had come forward with suggestions aimed to facilitate the rehabilitation of the men and women of the forces, to advocate measures to provide for employment immediately on the cessation of hostilities, to suggest ways of developing the province's natural resources, and to enhance social security generally in the postwar period.

Extension of educational, vocational and technical training opportunities, especially in the rural areas; increased hospitalization facilities, properly organized and supervised land settlement schemes, development of the social services and the provision of pensions and retiring allowances, were among some of the proposals touched upon by the speaker.

At the close of her address, Mrs. Hodges answered a number of questions. Several briefs were also read from various organizations, which will be forwarded to the B.C. Postwar Reconstruction Council for consideration. Miss J. E. McBrue, chairman of the Local Council committee, presided.

Mrs. A. C. Ross, who is to enter the contest for aldermanic honor at the forthcoming civic elections, was introduced at the meeting and spoke briefly.

C.G.I.T. Notes

At the weekly meeting of the Emmanuel Baptist C.G.I.T. Friday evening the following were elected to office: "Joy" group, president, Florence Larcombe; vice-president, Lenore Chernoff; secretary-treasurer, Evelyn Roberts; "Peptonist" group, president, Virginia Tullock; vice-president, Barbara Bone, and secretary-treasurer, Kathleen Paxton. A successful Halloween party was held by the groups in charge of Joyce Baldwin, chairman of the program committee, and Phyllis Agnew, chairman of the social committee, assisted by Florence Larcombe, Evelyn Roberts, Marquerite Kaman, Shirley Essler and Virginia Tullock. Shirley Essler, president of the C.G.I.T. department, presided over the supper and extended greetings to the guests. Prizes for costumes were won by June Collier, Shirley Essler and Joyce Baldwin. Shirley

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ORANGE LODGES MEET

Third quarterly meeting of Victoria County Lodge was held in the Orange Hall, when the K.W. Grand Master, Rev. J. Scott, paid an official visit to the Victoria lodges. He stressed the urgent need for Orangism in B.C., especially in the large military centres, owing to the large numbers of Orange men in the services.

R.W. Bro. Clainie of Vancouver spoke on the work of the Legislative committee. R.W. Bro. Gamble spoke on present-day conditions. The County Master, Wor. Bro. Rogers, presided.

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Army Promotions



MAJ. D. GODFREY

Promoted from captain to major and appointed GSO. 2, Operations (Intelligence), Pacific Command.

Born in England, Maj. Godfrey joined the H.A.C. in 1914 as a gunner and later he was commissioned with the Royal Welsh Fusiliers and served with them until demobilization in 1919.

Maj. Godfrey arrived in Canada in 1926. In 1939 he was listed on the British special reserve of officers and late that year he joined the Canadian Army and was appointed GSO. 3, Operations (Intelligence) with M.D. 11 and carried that appointment on the formation of the Pacific Command.

A London lawyer in civil life, Maj. Godfrey is a member of Middle Temple, London. He is the nephew of Marquis of Reading who was Ambassador Extraordinary to the United States during the last war and who later became the Viceroy of India.



LT. COL. C. T. BATTEN

Promoted from major to lieutenant-colonel and appointed GSO. 1 (Operations), Pacific Command.

Born in England Lt. Col. Batten joined the Inns of Court, O.T.C. from the London University and received his commission in 1917 and went to France with the Royal Garrison Artillery, 291st Siege Battery and served with that unit until demobilization in 1919.

Arriving in Canada in 1919 he joined the 15th Field Brigade, R.C.A. (N.P.A.M.) in 1922 and from 1931 to 1933 he commanded the 5th Medium Battery and during this time he took the staff course and was distinguished.

Leaving the N.P.A.M. in 1933 he went back to civil life until August, 1940, when he was appointed GSO. 2 (Training) in M.D. 11 and on the formation of the Pacific Command he became GSO. 2 (Operations).



BRIG. A. H. W. LANDON

officer in charge of Vancouver defences, who was recently promoted from the rank of colonel. A permanent force officer with more than 30 years army experience, Brig. Landon was first commissioned in the British Army in 1908, transferring to the Canadian forces in 1912. Subsequently serving with the Allied campaign in Northern Russia. Since then he has held various important staff posts in Canada, his final appointment before taking up his present post being that of general staff officer in charge of training, Pacific Command. He is decorated with the O.B.E. and the M.C.



COL. H. R. W. ALLEN

A.A. and Q.M.G., Pacific Command, who has been promoted from the rank of lieutenant-colonel. Well known in Victoria, Col. Hugh Allen has a long record of military service having qualified for all ranks from non-commissioned officer to the one he now holds. His army career began as a private in the British Volunteers and later joined the 103rd Calgary Rifles. He was subsequently commissioned with the former 5th Regiment, C.G.A., at Victoria.



LT. COL. B. R. MULLALY

Appointed GSO. 1 Operations (Intelligence) of the Pacific Command.

Born in Ramsgate, Kent, England, Col. Mullaly joined the Indian Army in 1911 and was commissioned with the 10th Gurkha Rifles as second-lieutenant. During the last war he served with his regiment as adjutant in Mesopotamia under Gen. Maude and later became the commanding officer and saw service in Burma.

After the last war Col. Mullaly went to Japan to study the language and was attached to the British Embassy. On completion of his course he went to China and for four years was with the British Army in Northern China as intelligence officer and later returned to command his regiment in India. Some time later he was sent to Japan as military attaché to the British Embassy and served there until June, 1941, when he arrived in Canada and joined the Canadian Army and appointed GSO. 2 (Operations) of the Pacific Command.



COL. A. R. ST. LOUIS

officer in charge of signals, Pacific Command, who has been promoted from his majority. An expert in communication he has carried out many difficult tasks with speed and accuracy.

Graduating from the University of Manitoba in 1915, Col. St. Louis enlisted with the "Little Black Devils" of Winnipeg and saw service in France remaining with the forces after the war with the rank of captain. He held various posts before resigning his commission to go to China as communications engineer for the China Aviation Corporation in 1932. He rejoined the army in 1940.

Auditor Describes Check-up on Boots At Police Stores

His audits were made with secondary rather than original documents and year-end balances were not checked with totals carried forward to the beginning of the year, H. V. Mills, B.C. government traveling auditor, testified Monday afternoon at the Assize Court trial of L. J. Simmons and J. G. Simpson, managing director of Jas. Maynard Ltd., charged with conspiracy to defraud the government.

Mills said in his report to George Marshall, auditor of revenue, he had made a complete check, although on cross-examination by H. W. Davey, counsel for Simmons, he admitted he had only checked some of the items with the requisitions and invoices handed him by Simmons. Not all the vouchers were presented, he said.

"That was as thorough as I could make it," he said of the audit.

Davey—Why did you use secondary documents in the quarter-master stores?

Mills—I followed instructions. Davey—From whom?

Mills—From Marshall.

Davey—Did you draw this to Marshall's attention?

Mills—No.

Davey—Why? Mills said he understood he did all that was necessary, although he said it was the practice of auditors to use primary documents. He did not think it necessary to state in his report the audit was made with secondary documents.

NO INSTRUCTIONS

Witness swore no one instructed him not to compare balances brought forward from the previous year, but if he had he would have noted the discrepancy, which, he said, was discovered just before or just after the preliminary hearing during a conversation with John Harvey, deputy controller-general.

Questioned by P. J. Sinnott, counsel for Simmons, Mills said he had sent a pair of shoes to a man called Burgoyne in Vancouver, a former employee of the provincial government, but he did not know who paid for these shoes. Witness said the accused Simpson had told him he, Simpson, would send the shoes direct to Vancouver.

Earlier in the afternoon session, Cpl. John Alfred Henry, questioned by J. B. Clearihue, K.C., crown counsel with W. C. Moresby, K.C., said he had searched Simmons' residence at 867 Colville Street, Esquimalt, and had recovered 15 documents.

Cross-examined by Mr. Sinnott, witness said he noted nothing unusual about the house but two chesterfield suits which appeared new, and two large floor rugs, one on the other. Witness said that when he went to Portland, Ore., with a B.C. Police A.R.P. unit he received a new pair of high boots with no requisition and, so far as he knew, had not been charged for them.

NO BOOTS IN 1941

Constables Joseph Gibault of Sidney and Walter Deans and Harold J. Parley of Duncan testified they received no high boots in their 1941 summer issue, although shoes were on the requisitions but not on the receipts.

Constable Gibault said he had received without requisition a pair of high boots when, in 1939, he went to Seattle with a mounted detachment of the police, and Constable Parley said he had received a Sam Brown belt without signing for it.

Detective Morris Wilkinson of the Victoria Police Department identified fingerprints of both the accused.

Constable J. A. Young told the court he had searched the premises of Jas. Maynard Ltd. on two occasions this summer for sales slips and both times Simpson had handed over the slips cordially. Witness said he believed it was the practice of constables to exchange at Maynard's, issue boots for civilian shoes and he had done so with the quarter-master's consent because he wore plain clothes.

Witness said he had received a complete uniform when he went to Portland but had not signed for it. He said he still had the uniform.

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Chlorine Needed To Make Munitions

Charles F. Banfield, King's Printer, speaking to the Gyro Club Monday, described the Vancouver chlorine battle as amusing in the light of the federal government order that all nonessential war industries using that chemical must eliminate it from their manufacturing processes so that it might be used in essential war industries.

Mr. Banfield spoke to the Gyro Club Monday on "Paper." His talk dealt with the manufacture of pulp and paper and the difficulties which are today meeting that industry and the printing profession.

Mr. Banfield told Gyros that pulp and paper mills had been ordered to eliminate chlorine from their manufacturing processes because there was a shortage of it for munitions making.

For that reason, he expounded, he could not understand the situation in Vancouver and wondered why the government wished to waste precious chlorine by putting that "heavy green gaseous stuff with a suffocating odor" in Vancouver's drinking water.

Mr. Banfield asked club members to cut down on their use of paper and avoid waste in light of the recent government order cutting paper production by 40 per cent.

He said no more printing machinery could be obtained because the manufacturers, for the most part American firms, had gone 100 per cent war production. Zinc, copper and type metal, essential printing materials, could no longer be obtained, the speaker said.

Mr. Banfield described briefly the methods of manufacturing paper and gave some figures on the industry, showing that there were 106 mills in Canada with a capital investment of \$678,000,000 and a production value in 1941 of \$334,000,000.

Their chief manufacture, he said, was newsprint, of which only 6 per cent was used in Canada, by far the largest amount being exported to the United States.

"Most Ungentlemanly" WASHINGTON (AP)—The Japanese radio described Lt. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's appeal asking the French of north Africa to help the invading allies as "a most ungentlemanly act." The office of war information reported the broadcast from Tokyo, as heard by Federal Communications Commission monitors.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

BRITISH COLUMBIA hockey heads gathered at New Westminster Saturday and ironed out a lot of problems facing the teams of the two new leagues operating on the island and the mainland. The provincial body also made a smart move by electing Doug Grimston, New Westminster, as its new president. In recent years both the president and secretary-treasurer have been residents in the interior which was only right with the only senior hockey in the province located there. This season, however, it was a different matter, as the only senior clubs are operating on the coast. Now the team managers will be able to contact the head of the league much quicker and get faster action on any problems that might arise.

We also hear that Pat Aitken, Nelson, secretary-treasurer of the provincial association for many years, was willing to step down from his office with the idea of giving the position to a coast man. However, it was the opinion of the delegates that both the president and secretary-treasurer should not be changed the same season, and for that reason Aitken was returned to the job. The representatives felt that Aitken's experience and knowledge of the inner workings of hockey were too valuable to let go.

Although they kept their definite plans a secret, we understand the provincial officials will make an effort to assist the civilian clubs operating in the two B.C. leagues. They were fully cognizant of the difficulties facing civilian teams playing in a league against service clubs, especially the rule forcing the former to have their players in residence by Nov. 1, whereas the service teams could use any player up until the time the playoffs get under way. The question of getting minor league professionals reinstated was also discussed, and the civilian clubs seeking to have these men declared eligible will

also get a boost, on their behalf, from the B.C.A.H.A.

Every now and then somebody breaks out with an all-star team in some line of sport. Along comes Duke Keats, recognized as one of hockey's greatest centres, with an all-time, all-star team. Keats will be remembered by Victoria's puck faithful for his many grand exhibitions at the old Willows Arena as a member of the Edmonton Eskimos in the Western Canada Hockey Association. Keats names the following players to his team: Goal, Happy Holmes, star with Victoria Cougars and Detroit; defence, Joe Simpson, Selkirk boy who became the "Corkscrew Joe" of Edmonton Eskimos and New York Americans; Sprague Cleghorn, who wound up with Boston Bruins, and Eddie Shore, who needs no identification; centre, Dick Irvin, whose playing career ended at Chicago; right wing, Bill Cook of Saskatoon Sheiks and New York Rangers; left wing, Gordie Roberts, now a Montreal dentist, but once with the old Montreal Wanderers, and George Hay of Winnipeg Monarchs, Regina Capitals and Detroit Cougars. Keats is not impressed by the present game. "Today they just rush around like chickens with their heads off. We played hockey."

HOCKEY STANDINGS

N.H.L.	W	L	T	Goals	Pts
Detroit	2	0	1	20	13
Toronto	2	0	1	12	6
Chicago	2	0	1	16	10
Chicago	2	0	1	8	4
Rangers	2	0	1	19	12
Boston	2	0	1	3	0

ISLAND LEAGUE	W	L	T	Goals	Pts
Army	2	0	1	11	7
Navy	2	0	1	13	7
C.A.F.	2	0	1	11	7
R.C.A.F.	2	0	1	3	0

One way to protect potatoes against infection and rotting is to postpone digging until the vines are dead, and until the blight spores on the old tops and on the ground are dead.

Peacetime Relic



Harry Hopman, captain of team that won it in 1939, inspects Davis Cup, emblematic of world tennis supremacy, now stored in Australian bank. Trophy was also Australia's during the first Great War.

Hockey Godfathers

Portage Carries On
By CHARLES EDWARDS
"TORONTO (CP)—The National Hockey League, all Canada and hockey-loving centres of United States owe plenty to those godfathers of the junior game who spend time and money so freely developing puck stars and get little in return but the satisfaction that comes with a job well done.

One such is George Jones, president of Portage la Prairie Terriers, who spent eight years building a championship club, won the Memorial Cup last spring, had visions of another great team, then saw his hopes shattered by raiding professional clubs. Yet Jones is carrying on, building again—building perhaps so professional clubs can blow down another house of cards.

This is not criticism of professional hockey's war-born policy of raiding junior clubs for players not subject to immediate military call. Rather, it is a tribute to the men who, despite the raids, struggle to keep flowing the fountain of Canada's hockey youth.

SIGNED ENTIRE LINE

Terriers expected to carry over front last season the nucleus of another great team. Then Buffalo Bisons of the American League signed Gordie Bell, the 16-year-old goalie, and New York Rangers took a complete forward line—Lin Bend, Joe Bell and Bill Gooden to the N.H.L. Terriers were left with but two holdovers, winger Bobby Love and defenceman Jack O'Reilly. Under the N.H.L. agreement

Football Money For Milk Fund

The Victoria Junior Canadian Football League will officially end the season Sunday, at MacDonald Park, with a benefit game, 100 per cent of the proceeds going to the Kinsmen Club's Milk For Britain Fund.

Under the sponsorship of the Victoria Kinsmen Club, the game will bring together the city champions, V.H.S. Alumni and runners-up, V.M.D. Blue Devils. Both squads will be bolstered for the fray and should give out with some top notch football.

The game being played on Sunday, a silver collection will be taken in the park, every cent of which will go to the Milk For Britain Fund.

The Kinsmen will have their almost how legendary calf at the park, while added attractions in the way of music and color are being arranged.

The game will start at 2.30. Alumni are under the guidance of Jimmy Smith, fast charging lineman of the now dormant Victoria Revellers, while Don Douglas, another Reveller, has charge of the Blue Devils.

Clark Kelly, former Winnipeg footballer who played the American game with the University of Florida a few years back, will referee. Kelly earlier in the season said junior football in Victoria was among the best he had seen in Canada.

Terriers receive \$1,500 (\$500 for each player) for the Bend-Bell Gooden line. The money will help develop new players, but mean while Portage must worry along with an inexperienced club. "They are going to kill the goose that laid the golden egg for them if they raid the juniors this way," Jones told Howard (Brandon) Crawford. But Jones refuses to quit when the going is tough. "It would hardly be fair to the people who have supported us so faithfully in the past if we disbanded this year."

Army Blanks Navy 6-0 in Thrill-packed Ice Clash

Soccer, Rugby Carded Tomorrow

Teams from the services will provide the holiday entertainment for soccer and rugby fans tomorrow afternoon.

In the annual Remembrance Day match for possession of the Coach and Horses Trophy Army and Navy soccer clubs will battle at the Athletic Park, starting at 2.30. The trophy has been up for competition two years, with each service winning it once, making tomorrow's engagement the rubber fixture. Army took the honors last year.

Rugby game will bring together the Army and the crack squad from the Royal Air Force, at Pat Bay, at MacDonald Park, starting at 2.45. Army was originally scheduled to stack up against the Navy, but the blue-jackets were forced to withdraw from play owing to their inability to field a suitable fifteen.

Army and R.A.F. both won their opening league matches, the former defeating the Naval College 27 to 6 and the Flyers blanking the Navy 39 to 0.

Rugby line-ups follow:
Army—Pte. Watson, Lt. Dyer, Lt. Muir, Cpl. Featherston, Gnr. Chapman, Lt. Smith, S. Sgt. Anderson, Gnr. Sparks, Sgt. Bray, Sgt. McLean, Gnr. Pritchard, Pte. Burgess, Sgt. Englehart, Gnr. Peden and Sgt. MacDonald.

R.A.F.—Pte. Michel, Pte. L. Spier, LAC. Homingworth, LAC. Snow, Pte. O. Allan, C. Nolan, Cpl. Wayne, WO. Middleton, Sgt. Thorner, Sgt. Watt, C.A. Peters, LAC. Lant, LAC. Barrett, LAC. Greenhouse and LAC. Clode.

Curry, Carse And Kreller In Spotlight

Firing home the first goal three minutes after play opened, keeping up a deadly offensive, and backchecking like fools Army blanked the Navy 6 to 0 in a hectic Island Hockey League battle at the Willows Arena Monday night.

The game lived up to all advance expectations. It was a bitter scrap from start to finish. No quarter was given or asked by either club and play was tough and rugged all the way. There was plenty of stiff checking while more than one player got hit over the noggin with a high stick.

To say the rink was packed would be putting it mildly. The sides of the ex-horse show building were literally bulging with the thousands of hockey-crazy fans jammed into every nook and cranny. Standing room was at a premium while at least another 1,000 were turned away when the doors were finally closed soon after the game started.

MOVE INTO LEAD

From the Army standpoint it was a smashing triumph over a club that entered the game hot favorites. The victory moved the soldiers into undisputed possession of first place with three straight victories.

From the scoring standpoint elusive Elmer Kreller was the star for the Army with two goals. Other goal-getters were Pinky Melnyk, Len Halldorson, Bill Carse and Les Wilson.

But a carload of credit for the Army victory must be paid Stan Curry, their 19-year-old goalie. This youngster rose to the heights to turn in what was certainly the greatest game of his career. Cool as a veteran, time after time his brilliant saves drew cheers from the crowd. Navy came really close to scoring in the second period when Curry blocked a shot, fell on the puck and kept it out despite being under a pileup of three or four players. Navy claimed the rubber had gone over the line but the referees ruled no goal.

Army won the game through their determined forechecking and backchecking. They never allowed the Navy to get settled, even checking them behind their own blue line. Never once during the entire game did the Navy forwards get organized into a smooth-passing rush. The blue-jackets number one line of Petrie, Strongman and Brown was bottled up completely. Playing a leading role in the break-up tactics was Carse. The former Chicago-Black Hawk was all over the ice and played just as an important part laying down perfect passes for his wing forwards on the attack.

OPENING GOAL

Play opened with the Army sweeping on the attack and at 3.55 Melnyk gave them the lead when he beat Hemming with a shot to the top corner from just inside the blue line. For the next seven minutes the Army kept up a continual power play but it was not until 15.54 that Halldorson got their second goal. The fast-skating winger fired a shot from the corner, the puck glancing off Navy defenceman Tomson's skate into the lower corner.

Teams continued the killing pace as the second period opened. Army took a 3 to 0 when Carse sagged the twine behind Hemming. The Navy goalie had kicked out a shot from Melnyk but the winger drifted in to pick up his own rebound and pass to Carse laying just outside the goal crease. Navy worked desperately to get a goal but Curry had the shutout sign on his net. With defenceman Tomson resting on the penalty bench, Kreller made it 4 to 0 with a pretty solo effort that wound up with his picking the corner with a backhand shot. Just two minutes later Wilson took a pass from

Ice Fans Storm Arena Doors

All the excitement of Monday night's Army and Navy hockey game was not confined to inside the Willows Arena.

Outside the building a near riot ensued from the time the game started until it finished two hours later. Trouble started when a large number of fans, including a large representation from the army and navy, were unable to gain entry to the building. It has been estimated that nearly 1,000 were turned away owing to the Arena being jammed to capacity.

Trouble first started when the Arena attendants opened the doors to allow ticket holders to pass through and the milling fans tried to crash through. Result was that several people with tickets failed to even see the game. This was followed by the breaking down of one of the large doors at the west end of the building. The doors were finally nailed up again but trouble broke out again at the other end of the building when several soldiers put a ladder up to one of the windows and started to drop through into the engine room.

Finally the Arena management was forced to call out the military provost corps and naval shore patrol to restore order, while members of the Oak Bay police gave their assistance.

H. B. (Barney) Olson, president of the Arena, announced today the damage to the doors, etc., would amount to well over \$100.

Golab With Flyers

OTTAWA (CP)—P.O. Tony Golab will play with the R.C.A.F. Flyers for the rest of the season, it was learned here Monday night. Golab is posted at nearby Uplands, and his presence with Dave Sprague's team strengthens its chances in the playoffs with Roughriders. Golab was a star player last season with Roughriders.

Under present arrangements, Riders and Air Force will meet in a sudden-death game here Nov. 21 for the right to enter play-downs with the Ontario Rugby Football Union.

At a meeting tonight, the league will discuss a suggestion that a two-game, total-points series for honors be arranged.

Grant to beat Hemming and make it 5 to 0.

Army's sixth goal followed a beautiful passing play between Kreller and Bus Algar at 13.15 in the third period, with the former firing the puck home.

Despite the rugged play and feeling between the players, only four penalties were handed out, each club drawing two.

Friday night's game will see the V.M.D. and R.C.A.F. meet up for the first time this season. The shipbuilders have won one game in three starts while the Flyers have suffered two straight defeats.

LINE-UPS

Army—Curry; Grant, Sutherland; Algar, Kreller, Wilson. Substitutes: Boborsky, Carse, McDonald, Melnyk, Halldorson, Deslites.

Navy—Hemming; Millman, Richardson; Strongman, Brown, Petrie. Substitutes: Tomson, McArthur, Hill, McKay, Taylor, Newsome, Allen.

Officials—Lloyd Camyre and Ed Battell.

SUMMARY

First period—1. Army, Melnyk, 3.55; 2. Army, Halldorson, 15.54. Penalties: Brown, Kreller.

Second period—3. Army, Carse (Melnyk), 5.56; 4. Army, Kreller, 11.34; 5. Army, Wilson (Grant), 13.22. Penalties: Tomson, Sutherland.

Third period—6. Army, Kreller (Algar), 13.15. Penalties: None.

Senior Cagemen Open Wednesday

Senior basketball opens its newest season at the Sports Centre Wednesday night, when Army and R.C.A.F. meet in the top event of a triple bill.

With Victoria Dominos, 1941-1942 Canadian champs, now out of the running due to inability to put a team of senior calibre on the floor, the three services are carrying on in the senior division of the Victoria Basketball League.

Both Army and R.C.A.F. have prominent Victoria and Vancouver cage stars on their teams, and should carry on with the same calibre basketball the city has enjoyed for so many years.

Heading the Army roster is former playing coach of the Dominos, Art Chapman. Also playing are Ritchie Nicol, Doug Peden, Roy McKay, Doug Patterson and Ken Calverly.

Blond topped Norman Baker will head the R.C.A.F. squad, and up with him will be Ian McKeachie, Jack Edmondson, "Porky" Andrews, Ralph Pay and Art McKim.

In the preliminary at 7, Unities and Rookies play, while at 8 St. Louis College plays Chinese Students. The main game starts at 9.

Two games will be played at the Y.M.C.A. gym, St. Louis College meeting Fairfield at 8 and Kayvees and "Y" battling in the main game.

Champion Dog Show At Crystal Nov. 25

Nov. 25 at the Crystal Garden will be the time and place of the Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers' Association championship dog show. Billy Oates of Vancouver will be judge of all breeds at this, the last show of 1942.

Recently returned from the Seattle Kennel Club show, Mrs. C. Bloomfield will have many Washington entries in the forthcoming competition, to be held under Canadian Kennel Club rules.

Registration papers are not needed for entries but dogs must be purebred.

The Canadian Kennel Club has offered a \$10 War Savings certificate for the best Canadian-bred dog and a \$10 cash prize for the winner of the best in the show.

Premium lists and entry blanks will be in the mail next week, and any further information may be obtained by phoning Mrs. C. Bloomfield at G 4738.

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R.C.A.F. Wins Hockey Opener

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—The lower mainland division of the Pacific Coast Hockey League was off to a flying start today with the R.C.A.F. team holding the honor of the first victory of the season.

The Air Force defeated St. Regis 4 to 1 here Monday night in the season opener, displaying smooth combination play and plenty of speed.

Martel found the net after only one minute of play to give St. Regis an early lead, but Porteous soon erased the advantage, scor-

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ing at the 10-minute mark to tie the count.

From then on the Air Force had control of the play, swarming all over goalie Porky Levine in the St. Regis net. Shamlock scored both R.C.A.F. goals in that period, and Porteous wound up the scoring in the first minute of the final period.

Line-ups follow:
Air Force—Campbell; Roberts, Trann; Hughes; Shamlock, Porteous. Subs: Slodan, Taylor, Pentland, Pyatt, Barnes, Boudreau.

St. Regis—Levine; Hutton, Schuman; Blythe; Palm, Mortel. Subs: Neilson, Bonneville, Orsaki, McAdam, Andrew.

SUMMARY

First period—1, St. Regis, Martel, 1:00; 2, Air Force, Porteous (Shamlock), 10:00. Penalties: Orsaki, Neilson, Trann.

Second period—3, Air Force, Shamlock (Hughes), 10:00; 4, Air Force, Shamlock (Porteous), 17:00. Penalties: Martel, Schuman.

Third period—5, Air Force, Porteous, 55. Penalty: Roberts.

Africa Names

Canadian Press
This is how to pronounce names of places and persons figuring in the news from north Africa:

Agadir—Ah-gah-deer' (hard G).
Mogador—Moh-gah-dohr' (hard G).
Safi—Sah-fee'.
Fednala—Fay-dah-lah'.
Rabat—Rah-bah'.
Bou Sfer—Boo Sfer'.
Bou Snika—Boo Znee-kah'.
Sidi Ferruch—See-dee Fay-rookh.

Tout Siht—Fort Seat.
Juin—Jwin (masal).

The Amazon river is the widest in the world.

Major Ice Scoring

Drillon-Liscombe Tops

MONTREAL (CP)—Gordie Drillon and Carl Liscombe are setting a dizzy pace among the National Hockey League scoring leaders but are getting plenty of close competition, mostly from their own teammates, the first of the N.H.L.'s weekly scoring reports showed today.

Drillon, who came to Canada this season from Toronto Maple Leafs, has chalked up nine points in three games on four goals and five assists, while Drillon's Liscombe has the same total after four games with three goals and six assists.

Right behind the leaders come Syd Howe of Detroit and Drillon's centre, Buddy O'Connor, with eight points each.

Drillon and Watson are tied among the goal-leaders with Red Hamill of Chicago who has four points, all of them for goals scored. O'Connor's seven assists gives him leadership in that department.

Detroit's fiery Jimmy Orlando has the greatest variety of pen-

Canadian Grid Final Set

Bombers Travel East

TORONTO (CP)—The stage was set here Monday for Canada's third wartime east-west football playoff title with Winnipeg's R.C.A.F. Bombers, champions of western Canada, slated to clash with eastern Canada's title-winners on Dec. 12 at Varsity Stadium in Toronto for the Grey Cup and the Dominion title.

Date of the annual Canadian football classic was set Monday at a meeting of eastern members of the Canadian Rugby Union executive, and was approved by C.R.U. president A. W. Matthews, who was consulted by telephone at Edmonton.

The all-Canada final will be preceded by an eastern Canada final Dec. 5, also at Toronto's

Pro Golfers Try To Set Schedule

CHICAGO (AP)—The Professional Golfers' Association attempted Monday to map a curtailed program for 1943 but admitted the outlook for nationwide competition is grim.

Fred J. Corcoran, the P.G.A. tournament manager, said only two tournaments—the Miami Open Dec. 3 to 6 and the North and South at Pinehurst, N.C., March 23 to 25—are left on a winter schedule formerly crowded with meets.

"The \$100,000 winter tour now is a \$10,000 affair," Corcoran commented.

Delegates to the annual meeting learned its tournaments played to 500,000 persons from November, 1941, to November, 1942, and had contributed \$250,000 to various relief organizations. Purses totaled \$155,000 as compared with \$175,000 the previous year.

"Gasoline rationing is what really hurt us," Corcoran said. "We couldn't guarantee our leading players would appear at any set time and clubs are reluctant to schedule tournaments this winter and next spring under those conditions."

Ben Hogan Takes Flying Course

TULSA, Okla. (AP)—Ben Hogan is changing his game for the duration. The little golfer, winner of the Vardon Trophy the last three years and the game's top money player for the same period, hopes to gain a rating of flying instructor in six months.

He enrolled at the Spartan School of Aeronautics as a civilian student pilot.

"I'm all through with golf until we get this war job done," he said. "My job now is learning to fly."

"I've been instructing golf for years and I felt I should be able to convert whatever teaching ability I have to instructing fliers," he said. "I feel like I can do my part a little better this way."

Hogan, 30, is too old to qualify as a combat pilot with the armed forces.

This year Hogan won the Hale America, the North-South, the Los Angeles Open, the Rochester Open, the Asheville Open and the San Francisco Open tournaments.

Couriers Were Speedy

The Romans maintained such an efficient system of couriers that messages were carried between Rome and London in less than a week.

Publicity Grant Plebiscite Out On Council Vote

There will be no publicity bureau grant plebiscite at the December civic elections.

On a nine-to-two division the City Council Monday killed Ald. W. L. Morgan's tabled resolution to submit to the electors the question "Are you in favor of the City Council continuing an annual grant to the publicity bureau for the duration of the war?" Mayor Andrew McGavin was alone with the proposer on the vote.

Ald. John A. Worthington moved to receive and file the proposal as it was lifted from the table.

Ald. Morgan thought that an unfair procedure, noted the recommendation had been made by the full finance committee when it was first broached in March and said he would like to see the people decide the issue. With Mayor McGavin's support he moved the motion for the referendum be passed.

Ald. Archie Willis referred to the recent discussion on the question by the bureau, said a grant of \$5,000 had been mentioned for 1943 and suggested the council let the citizens know how much was involved if a grant were approved.

SHOULD USE JUDGMENT

Ald. Worthington, who said he represented the city on six or seven bodies, said he was accustomed to using his own judgment and did not think the electorate should be bothered.

Ald. Ed. Williams, a city representative on the publicity bureau, said he did not know where the \$5,000 figure came from, but thought the city representatives could look after the city's interests. The council could deal with the matter when it came up, if the bureau needed anything next year, he said. He rapped Ald. Morgan for not attending the bureau meetings, despite the fact he was a city representative.

Ald. Morgan did not see why the work of the bureau should not be handled from the City Hall during the war, but was willing to accept the people's decision on the question.

Ald. B. J. Gadsden thought the bureau had been of material community benefit.

Ald. P. E. George said presentation of the question to the public would indicate a lack of confidence on the part of the council and would be bad psychology.

WANTS ISSUE SETTLED
"I think it would be a good thing to submit the question to the public and settle the issue once and for all," Mayor McGavin said.

The interests of the city of Victoria were being well represented by the city delegates, said Ald. W. H. Davies.

"Have you a majority vote?" asked the mayor.

"Yes," replied Ald. Davies.

"We would have if this fellow would attend," added Ald. Worthington, pointing to Ald. Morgan.

Ald. F. A. Willis said he thought he, as an elected representative of the people, had enough intelligence to cope with the matter, a question, he noted, on which the present council could not bind that of next year.

Draft Exemption Applications Put Under Sharp Curb

The City Council Monday afternoon adopted a motion from Ald. W. L. Morgan which would bar applications for exemption or deferment from selective service draft on behalf of all civic employees, except in exceptional circumstances.

The motion, termed by its proposer a compromise, would require those claiming to be in exceptional circumstances to secure approval of the mayor, the council, the department head concerned and the committee supervising their applications advanced to the draft board.

"I seconded the original motion, but I refuse to second this," Ald. Archie Willis said. "To me it shouldn't be necessary." Any able-bodied young man should volunteer, he said. If he didn't and if he were conscripted, there was no job in the City Hall so important such a man could not leave, he said.

Ald. Ed. Williams said he would support the new move, since he thought the fire chief had established his case in outlining the necessity for the maintenance of a good fire department here in the event of raids. The alderman noted the qualifications entailed in the approvals and said the new scheme would be more efficient than the original.

POLICE, FIRE PROTECTION
Mayor McGavin expressed

City Council

Mayor, Aldermen to Study Bonus Award and Letters

Copies of the award of the board of arbitration on the cost of living bonus question, together with copies of reports and letters concerning it, were ordered for all members of the City Council Monday on the recommendation of the finance committee. The issue was not discussed, pending study of the documents. The council did, however, pass a vote of \$125 to P. R. Brown for his services as the city's representative on the board, together with payment of \$9.94 for his out-of-pocket expenses.

On the recommendation of the same committee, City Hall departments were instructed to use both sides of sheets of paper for any correspondence as a salvage measure.

Dr. David Beaman is now acting city health officer in place of Dr. C. W. Saunders, who fell ill while filling in for Dr. Richard Felton, city health officer, now convalescing in hospital.

A. E. Fraser, Johnson Street Bridge operator, was superannuated and re-engaged on a temporary basis in conformity with the city's regular policy in respect to superannuation cases during the war.

Thanks of the National War Finance Committee for the assistance rendered the recent campaign, by Mayor Andrew McGavin was contained in a letter from T. H. Burns, public relations chief for the island.

Mayor Andrew McGavin will lay the city wreath at the foot of the War Memorial here on Remembrance Day and Acting Mayor Archie Willis will place a wreath on behalf of the Free French.

The requests of military authorities for permission to clear ground for parking facilities near the old Woolen Mills and to fence in certain property there, were approved.

Mayor McGavin was asked to deal with a request from the South Vancouver Island District Women's Institute for a luncheon for delegates during the organization's annual convention here Nov. 27 and 28.

The lands committee was empowered to deal with the V.M.D. in arrangements to provide parking facilities for war workers engaged in the Dallas Road yards.

C. C. Pemberton's letter warning the city of the dangerous condition of a poplar at the intersection of Collinson and Blanchard was referred to the public works committee.

Swinerton & Co. Ltd. were granted permission to reroof cabins at 843 Johnson.

The council authorized licensing of St. Mary's Guest House, 270 Government Street, as a convalescent home. It could not be licensed as a boarding house unless inmates were granted residence qualifications in Victoria, F. L. Shaw explained. To show the dangers of such a course, Ald. P. E. George reported one inmate had already applied to the welfare office for assistance.

Removal of an old pear tree at 2543 Asquith was ordered, sick pay was granted an employee of the works department and three improvement projects were authorized on the recommendation of the public works committee. The improvements include a storm sewer for Myrtle Street at a cost of \$1,870, macadam surfaces for sections of Henry and Russell Streets at a cost of \$1,275 and a storm sewer for Steele and a part of Delta Streets at a cost of \$730.

Purchase of two tires for \$310.80, two asbestos suits for \$42.20 each and five raincoats at \$25 each was authorized on the recommendation of the fire wardens.

Three improved properties were sold on the recommendation of the lands committee. They included 628 Pembroke, sold for \$1,100; 2924 Graham, sold for

opinion certain protection was needed for the police and fire departments.

"That leaves the door open," said Ald. P. E. George, as he voiced support for the scheme. Had the original motion been carried the city would have been in an awkward position if it underwent raids, he added.

Ald. Morgan agreed with Ald. Willis' position as he explained the new move was a compromise.

Ald. B. J. Gadsden said he "tied," but approved the new resolution.

Since the council went on record at the beginning of the war for total conscription, said Ald. W. H. Davies, it was being consistent by supporting the motion.

On the vote the motion carried unanimously.

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Department of Labour National War Labour Board General Order

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics has found that the cost of living index number for October 1, 1942, is 117.8 (adjusted index 116.9) as compared with the cost of living index number for July 2, 1942, of 117.9 (adjusted index 117).

The Wartime Wages Control Order, P. C. 5963, provides in Section 48 (iv):

"the amount of the bonus shall not be changed unless the cost of living index number has changed one whole point or more since the last general order of the Board requiring an increase or decrease in the amount thereof."

The index number not having changed by one whole point or more since July 2, 1942, pursuant to the provisions of P. C. 5963 as stated, the National War Labour Board orders that the terms of its General Order dated August 4, 1942, shall continue to apply for the period November 15, 1942, to February 15, 1943, subject to the right of employers or employees to apply to a War Labour Board for authorization of payment of such an amount of cost of living bonus as a Board may determine to be "fair and reasonable," under the provisions of the Order.

HUMPHREY MITCHELL
Chairman, National War Labour Board

Ottawa, Canada
November 4, 1942

Committed for Trial On Car Theft Charge

Murray Turner was committed for trial by higher court after preliminary hearing in police court today on a charge of stealing a car, Oct. 11, the property of Mrs. Isabel Friesch.

Last Friday Turner was committed for trial in Oak Bay court on three charges of retaining stolen tires.

A charge of car theft against William E. Jones was withdrawn at the request of city prosecutor, Claude L. Harrison, due to insufficient evidence. Jones pleaded guilty to all three charges of tire retention in Oak Bay court.

Mrs. Friesch testified that she parked her car outside her house on the night of Oct. 10 and in the morning it was gone. She said she subsequently found it, blocked up, behind Mount View High School, with the tires and tubes missing. She identified the tires and tubes, which were on exhibit in court.

Sgt. Robert Smith of the Oak Bay police testified that he discovered the tires and tubes concealed in some bramble bushes on the north side of the Willows fair grounds. It was in connection with these that Turner and Jones were arrested and charged in Oak Bay.

Testifying for the Crown, Jones said that Turner told him of the location of the tires Oct. 18. Jones stated that Turner would say neither yes nor no when asked if the tires were stolen.

Alan Baker appeared for Turner.

A service of Remembrance and prayers for peace will be held at St. George's Mission, Cadboro Bay, at 10 tomorrow morning. The service will be conducted by Bishop Jenkins.

The 31st Alberta Battalion Association, Victoria Branch, will hold its annual reunion and dinner in the Douglas Hotel, Saturday. Roll call at 7.30. Any members having relatives now serving with the armed forces, are invited to bring them along.

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Donald Patterson, B.A., well known in Victoria, graduate of the University of British Columbia, and a former student of Wycliffe College, Toronto, and the Anglican Theological College of Vancouver, has been accepted for missionary work by the Lord Bishop of Athabasca. Mr. Patterson will have pastoral charge of Beaverlodge and several other stations in the Peace River country.

"This is, though less spectacular, a species of war work, for the church has need of men in the frontier, and it reflects great credit both to Mr. Patterson and the youth of our country that men can be found to volunteer for the spiritual firing line of Christ's Holy Church," said a church official today. "In an age and at a time when the world deeply needs spiritual uplift, it is good news to hear of young men offering to hold up the banner of Christ in the new and pioneering parts of western Canada."

"Mr. Patterson will in due course be ordained by Doctor A. Sovereign, Lord Bishop of Athabasca, and his many friends in Victoria wish him God's richest blessing in his new work and his future ministry."

Mr. Patterson is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patterson, 2580 Cotswold Road.

The Club for the Hard-of-Hearing will not hold a meeting Wednesday evening as alterations to the club premises are not completed. The Red Cross Group and Bridge Club will meet as usual Wednesday.

Gas Mask Fitting For All Civilians To Begin Next Week

Distribution of long-awaited gas respirators to the civilian population of Victoria will probably begin next week as gas masks are available for 6,000 students at public and private schools and orphanages.

Inspector A. H. Bishop, civilian protection officer, announced today a meeting with his district wardens to set up machinery to distribute the gas masks would be held at 4 Wednesday afternoon, and a meeting with school teachers, who will fit the masks on pupils, will be called at 4.30 Thursday afternoon.

Dr. Lincoln W. Cromwell, who recently completed a course in gas protection at McGill University, will instruct school teachers how to fit the gas masks on their pupils. One teacher from each school will do the fitting.

Parents of all Victoria school children are being circulated to determine those that cannot pay for the gas masks which will be sold at the cost price \$1.25. Those that can not pay will receive the masks free after having made a written statement that they cannot afford the expense.

It is expected a shipment of 5,000 or more gas masks will arrive in Victoria today from the Advisory Council, Provincial Civilian Protection Committee. Enough gas masks to supply the entire civilian population of Vancouver Island are expected to be available this week.

Civil Servants Get Holiday Tomorrow

Civil servants in the Parliament Buildings and City Hall, who expected to work tomorrow were notified today that Remembrance Day will be a holiday as in former years.

The Executive Council, meeting under Premier John Hart, once more discussed the problem created when the Dominion government asked that all holidays, except a designated few, be abolished for the war's duration. In B.C. November 11 is a statutory holiday and can only be abolished by act of the Legislature. However, the provincial government decided some days ago that civil servants should work, as a token of good-will towards essential war industry employees.

ILLEGAL

Today, however, Provincial Secretary Geo. S. Pearson announced: "We have now been legally advised that, because Nov. 11 is a statutory holiday in this province, certain transactions may take place that would be illegal; therefore, in justice to everyone concerned, we have decided to close the buildings and other government offices."

The City Hall immediately followed the same policy.

All war industries will work full blast. Shipyards will carry on as usual. There will be no holiday for men and women in the armed services.

Victoria's two big department stores and most other retail establishments will be closed all day. They would have been closed in the afternoon, in any event, as it is the weekly half-holiday. The Victoria Public Library will be closed. All service stations will be closed.

Liquor stores, in keeping with the government holiday, will remain closed. Beer parlors will be open as is usual on all holidays except Christmas Day and Good Friday. Banks, which operate under special Dominion government charter, will remain open.

Most private offices will be closed, but laundries, bakeries and other industrial firms will work as on any week day.

The Post Office and Dominion government offices will remain open.

Doctors' and dentists' offices aren't quite sure what to do. They will take patients who otherwise could not visit them.

Street cars will operate on usual week-day services.

It is expected the Legislature, at its session in January, will legally abolish all holidays, except the few requested by the Dominion government, so that there will be no confusion in future.

TOWN TOPICS

One motorist was fined \$2.50 in police court today on a parking conviction.

Two sailors were fined \$5 each when convicted in police court today on charges of assault.

Major J. Dimery Johnson has arrived safely in England, according to a cable received by Mrs. Johnson this morning.

Thanks for the further advance of funds from Victoria to the Lord Mayor of London's fund for British victims of Nazi bombing was expressed in a cable received by Mayor Andrew McGavin today. The message read: "Many thanks further gift five hundred fifty pounds. Continued support deeply appreciated."

At a short meeting of the Esquimalt Council Monday night, A. E. Cave and W. J. Cave were respectively appointed returning officer and deputy returning officer for the coming elections. An agreement between the Crown and Esquimalt regarding land deeded to Wartime Housing Ltd. was concluded.

Counsel's Words Are Protested

Exception is taken by the Victoria School Board to remarks of H. W. Davey, counsel for the city in the recent arbitration hearing, covering the civic employees cost of living bonus question.

Dissatisfaction both with those remarks and with the city's attitude to the board is expressed in a letter from board chairman, F. G. Mulliner, now on file for council consideration.

"Counsel is reported to have stated that the recommendations of this board are 'worth absolutely nothing'. To have castigated the school board and to have used the word 'reprehensible' with reference to action taken by this board," the chairman's letter said in part.

"The trustees feel that such action and language by counsel retained by the city towards an elected body representing the citizens is entirely uncalled for and this board feels that an apology or explanation should be forthcoming in the matter," it continued.

NO CO-OPERATION

"I am further directed to say that this board is of the opinion that the arbitration might possibly have been avoided had the City Council taken the school trustees into its confidence. It is pointed out that other than the mere acknowledgment of the letter setting forth our resolution on the cost-of-living bonus we have had no direct contact with the council except for the letter quoting its decision. A conference between our respective bodies or committees thereof, wherein the city's position could have been discussed, might have gone a long way towards settling the differences between our recommendation and the bonus finally decided upon by the council. The board of school trustees, however, was not given this opportunity."

DAVEY COMMENT

In another communication on the award, Mr. Davey reports on the arbitration finding, in which he expresses opinion the board has gone beyond what was justified by the evidence in several respects.

"In no case disclosed by the evidence is any municipal body paying a cost-of-living bonus to its employees earning more than \$1,100 a year, nor is the provincial government paying any cost of living bonus to this class of employees," Mr. Davey reported. The Dominion government and C.P.R., covered by the relevant order-in-council, are paying full cost of living bonuses to all employees, he adds.

The award recommended for Victoria "substantially exceeds that now being paid by the provincial government or any municipal body to which reference was made, with the exception of the city of North Vancouver," Mr. Davey's letter adds.

Inflation in the last 10 months had been about \$400,000,000. Mr. Booth based his calculation on the assumption that prices would have continued to rise last year at the rate they did in the first two years of war.

He compared prices of foods and commodities in September, 1917, with those of today, showing prices on an average were 50 per cent lower today than then on the items considered. Exceptions he noted were coal which now costs \$2.50 a ton more than in 1917, and rye whisky which in 1917 cost 85 cents a quart and now sells at \$4.75.

Mr. Booth said the day of high pressure salesmanship had passed and urged merchants to adopt a sound credit control in the sale of goods.

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Same Machine Made Vouchers, Invoices Witness Testifies

Invoices and audit vouchers introduced as evidence in the L. J. Simmons-J. G. Simpson conspiracy to defraud trial were typed on the same machine in several instances, in the opinion of H. B. MacLean, examiner of questioned documents, who testified in Assize Court today.

MacLean was shown vouchers payable to Jas. Maynard Ltd. with invoices attached.

"Were they typed on the same machine?" asked J. B. Clearihue, K.C., Crown prosecutor.

"In my opinion the same typewriter was used on the audit voucher and on the invoice attached," MacLean replied. He listed in that class of documents six audit vouchers issued from Oct. 31, 1936, to Nov. 18, 1940.

Earlier the witness had identified the signature "L. J. Simmons," on certain documents with the signature on standard documents and had followed the same course with the signature, "J. G. Simpson."

He was unable to state who signed the signature "W. Owen" to a requisition form, allegedly calling for issue of 60 pairs of boots for Oskalla, but after further examination voiced opinion the words "werden, Oskalla," which followed the signature, were written by the same person who wrote an earlier exhibit signed "L. J. Simmons."

Under cross-examination by H. W. Davey, counsel for Simpson, MacLean said there was, in his opinion, nothing to suggest the word "direct" penciled on certain invoices had been written by the person who signed "L. J. Simmons" or "J. G. Simpson" on the standard documents.

He said he compared only one copy of the invoices attached to vouchers apparently typed on the same machine with the vouchers themselves.

NO WARDEN'S SIGNATURE

Walter Owen, warden of Oskalla, testified the signature "W. Owen" on a requisition form for 60 pairs of boots was not his, that he had not requisitioned the boots, had not received them and had given no receipt for them.

At the opening of today's hearing Sgt. C. C. Jacklin, provincial police, testified to seizure of Maynard's books.

George N. Worsley, auditor for Maynards, identified the books and said J. G. Simpson had been in charge of the firm as managing-director.

To Davey he stated he checked the firm's books every two or three months and confirmed preliminary hearing testimony that he had found them in order.

H. McE. Francis, accountant, took the stand this afternoon, completing the crown's evidence in the case.

The court will not sit Wednesday, but the trial will continue Thursday.

Service at Cenotaph Remembrance Day

Victoria's annual Remembrance Day service will be held at 11 a.m. tomorrow beside the War Memorial in Parliament Square. Brig. J. Sutherland Brown will represent His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Maj. Gen. A. E. Potts, G.O.C., the 6th Division will take the salute.

Members of the Canadian Legion will take a leading part. Veterans of the 1914-18 war will assemble at Courtney Street at 10.15 a.m., wearing berets, medals and decorations. Brig-Gen. J. G. Austin, with Maj. G. A. Yardley as his A.D.C., will lead the parade of veterans to the cenotaph.

The band of the 3rd Battalion, Canadian Scottish, will be in attendance. The Garrison Band will also be present and will lead the parade after the service, Gen. Potts taking the salute outside the Empress Hotel.

At 12.15 p.m. there will be a short service of remembrance at the 16th Battalion Cross in Pioneer Square. Rev. G. A. Reynolds, chaplain of the Scottish 3rd Battalion, will officiate.

Communist Group Here

A decision to establish a city organization of the Communist Labor Total War Movement was reached by trade unionists and other interested people at a meeting here Sunday.

An outline of the problems facing the Canadian people was given by Carl Palmgren, a local leader of the left wing labor movement.

Those present felt the formation of such an organization was necessary. An executive was elected, with W. Shaw, a shipyard worker, as president; Bob Kerr, secretary, and Carl Palmgren, organizer.

The purpose of the organization is to share in the common task of strengthening national unity for victory. Such committees already exist all over Canada.

OBITUARY

ANNETT—The death occurred Tuesday morning at St. Joseph's Hospital of Arthur Annett, 70, of Asquith Street. Mr. Annett was born in India and moved to Victoria 15 years ago from Vancouver. He was a veteran of the Boer War and the Great War, and had been a member of the Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion. He is survived by his wife, two brothers and two sisters in England. The remains are at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

NEWBURN—The funeral of Miss Ethel Mary Newburn will be held Wednesday at 3.30 from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Interment at Colwood.

DAVIES—The funeral for Mrs. Ellen Davies was conducted this morning by Father G. Penfold. Pallbearers were: D. S. St. Martin, W. M. McDonald, C. McDonald and J. Hourigan. Interment at Colwood. McCall Bros. had charge.

REYNOLDS—Word has been received here of the death of Maj. H. M. Reynolds, 59, who was stationed at Work Point Barracks from 1930 to 1935. He died Oct. 31 in Cogsworth Military Hospital, Halifax, N.S., as the result of injuries received in a streetcar accident several days earlier. He is survived by his widow and family, including a son serving overseas. Maj. Reynolds joined the permanent artillery force in 1912 and served during the first Great War. He was quartermaster at Halifax Fortress at the time of his death.

MILLER—The funeral for Wellington Hayes Miller, 68, was held Monday afternoon in Ganges United Church. He died at his home, Rainbow Road, Ganges, Saturday morning. Born in Ontario and for 40 years a resident of Prince Rupert, where he was a well-known mail carrier for Porcher Island and other places, he moved to Salt Spring Island three years ago, making his home at Ganges. The service was conducted by Rev. J. Dewar, Interment at Central Settlement cemetery. Pallbearers were: W. P. Evans, V. Case Morris, Alan Cartwright, R. Toynbee, Gavin C. Mout and George Nelson. Mr. Miller is survived by his step-daughter, Mrs. John Manson of Ganges.

CLARKE—Mrs. Ella Jane Clarke, 65, died Monday night at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. She was born in Woodstock, Ont., and had lived here 32 years. She is survived by her husband, Earl W. Clarke, 1461 Pembroke Street, and two daughters, Anna Priscilla and Eleanor Mabel. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon at 3.30 from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Interment at Ross Bay.

Service at Cenotaph
Remembrance Day

New Kiwanis Head



MURRAY MARTINDALE

Murray Martindale was the unanimous choice of members of the Kiwanis Club to succeed Alister Campbell as president at the annual Kiwanis meeting at the Empress Hotel today. Mr. Martindale served as vice-president for the past year.

Other unanimous appointments were Arthur Dowell to the vice-presidency and Alfred W. Jones as treasurer.

From 11 nominations seven directors were elected. They were: R. W. Hibberson, Denis Hagar, Arnold McDermid, Forrest Shaw, Ralph Matthews, Harold Campbell and Thomas Scott.

All these officers will serve until the beginning of next November.

Lieut. Col. Brooke Stephenson spoke briefly to the club on Remembrance Day, and said he was glad Victoria was observing it as a holiday despite the Dominion order cutting it out of the list of statutory holidays.



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Dr. Denton Speaks To Authors on War

"It is a lucky thing we still have Gibraltar for a rendezvous," Dr. V. R. Denton said before the Victoria and Islands branch of the Canadian Authors' Association Monday night at the Y.W.C.A.

The speaker emphasized the importance of the air bases the Allies should acquire after the occupation of northern Africa. "Spain and Portugal will then be good little boys, and in all probability Italy will collapse," he said, later discussing the difficulty of maintaining supply lines to Russia and the advantage of eastern Mediterranean ports and railways.

Eventually the United Nations will threaten Germany on three fronts—Britain, Russia and Africa. "Our sea power is growing. Germany's losses are becoming prodigious. If this continues there can be only one end—a weakened Germany will be conquered by the United Nations."

Major F. V. Longstaff, commenting on his recent book, "Esquimalt Naval Base," told of the sources from which he had received inspiration and information. A bookseller who sold naval records, an artist authority on ships, and the Society of Nautical Research, contributed much of the material gathered by Major Longstaff.

Seismographs Record Severe Earth Tremors

Fairly severe earth tremors, originating from an earthquake between 6,000 and 7,000 miles away in an undetermined direction, were recorded on seismographs at the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Saanich, beginning at 5.01 P.M.T., and continuing until 7.30 this morning.

Dr. K. Wright, observatory seismologist, said he could not estimate accurately the distance nor the direction of the epicentre. The seismological institute at California Institute of Technology recorded the tremors at 5.01.16. Seismologists there estimated the distance at 7,000 miles in an undetermined direction and described the tremors as originating from "a great earthquake."

Mining Properties To Be Maintained

Ottawa is co-operating to enable B.C. placer operators to keep their properties in good working condition, Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Mines, announced today.

"The director of national selective service, on representations made by the Department of Mines, has advised that the order affecting the employment of labor in placer mines has been relaxed, particularly with reference to the employment of older men, for whom alternative high priority employment is not available," the minister said.

This modification of the original order, Mr. Carson said, should permit placer operators in the Cariboo, Imineca, Athin and other outlying areas to carry on mining operations on a scale sufficient to maintain ditches and flume lines, and so keep their properties in good working condition.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY 2-Year Sentence For Club Hold-up

William Gerald Brine was sentenced to two years' hard labor in the penitentiary by Magistrate H. C. Hall today for attempting to hold up Charles Creamer, cashier at the British Public Schoolboys' Club, Oct. 12.

On a charge of stealing hams and roasts, the property of the Vancouver Barge Transportation Co., he was sentenced to six months, and for retaining saws, the property of Arthur Green, he received an additional six months. The last two sentences will run concurrently with the two-year term.

Convicted last Thursday, Brine was remanded until today for sentence at his own request, explaining that his wife and family were coming west from Halifax.

After sentence was passed he notified Magistrate Hall he would appeal. Thursday, after his conviction, police disclosed that Brine had gone on a hunger strike. He did not touch food until Sunday, when he relented, and started to eat again.

Earlier evidence in connection with the first charge, disclosed that Brine walked into the office of the club, masked, and ordered Mr. Creamer to "stick 'em up."

Mr. Creamer testified that he rushed Brine and overpowered him, finding after he grappled with him, that he had no gun, but was just bluffing.

Civil Servants Honor Fallen Comrades

Civil servants this afternoon paid tribute to their comrades who fell in action in the 1914-18 war.

In the main rotunda Premier John Hart laid a wreath of laurel and poppy on the plaque commemorating all those civil servants who gave their lives in the first Great War. Present, besides Parliament Buildings workers, were relatives of the civil servants who died.

Veterans among the staff paraded to the rotunda. There the lights, with the exception of the one over the plaque, were turned out while the company observed a minute's silence. Rev. Geo. Biddle offered prayers and sounding of the Last Post and Reveille ended the brief ceremony, which is held annually.

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Vichy Consul Swings
BOSTON (AP)—Declaring the American offensive in north Africa cannot be interpreted as an aggression but is, on the contrary, a first step for the liberation of France, Francois Briere, Vichy consul at Boston, has resigned his post.
M. Briere, who was press attaché to the French delegations to the London Naval Conference in 1930 and the disarmament conference at Geneva, sent his resignation Monday to the Vichy ambassador, Gaston Henry-Haye, and also advised Under-Secretary of State Sumner Welles on his decision.
In a statement M. Briere said: "I have seen, during the summer, several French people coming from France and they have told me of the complete confidence of the overwhelming majority of the French people in the United States to save France."

Canada Ceases To Recognize Vichy Regime

OTTAWA (CP)—Because "those in nominal control of the government of France have ordered the armed forces of France to offer resistance to the military forces of the United Nations sent to assist in the liberation of France from Nazi domination," Canada Monday ceased to recognize the Vichy regime.
Rene Ristelhueber, French minister to Canada, was summoned to the office of Prime Minister King and advised that the Canadian government no longer recognized the present government at Vichy and that diplomatic relations were terminated.
Mr. Ristelhueber was told it was "perfectly clear that there no longer exists in France a legal or constitutional government in any sense representative of the French people, but only a puppet government."

In these circumstances, the Prime Minister said, the Canadian government "has ceased to recognize the present government at Vichy as being the de jure government of France and diplomatic relations with Vichy are accordingly terminated."

The Prime Minister's formal notification to the minister was embodied in a statement to the press marked for release at 6:30 p.m. P.D.E., and a copy was sent only to the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, which put it on the air in the 7 p.m. news broadcast.

DELAYS PARLEY
The statement was not issued to the press, at a press conference, until approximately 9:25 p.m. The press conference was called shortly before 7 p.m., but not convened in the Prime Minister's office until 7:25 p.m.

Mr. King said it had been his intention to have his press conference before 7 p.m., but this clashed with the visit to his office of the French minister, who was there when the news was being broadcast and who left just before the correspondents were admitted to the Prime Minister's office.

Mr. King said the French minister and his staff would be given passports enabling them to leave at once for France and, because of the difficulty of Atlantic transport, it might be necessary to make special arrangements for them.

Thus, within little more than 24 hours after the Vichy government broke diplomatic relations with the United States, Canada, the last British Commonwealth member to retain such relations, terminated a situation which has been the subject of much criticism in the House of Commons and in the press.

Mr. King stressed the distinction between the Vichy government and the French people.



Serge Jaroff, diminutive conductor of the original Don Cossack Chorus and dancers, who will present one of its prized programs of songs and dances of old Russia Dec. 4 at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

tion between breaking relations as Vichy did Sunday, and the action of his government, which did not break relations but terminated its recognition of the Vichy government, thus automatically ending diplomatic relations with France.

SPECIAL MEETING
The action was taken at a special meeting of the cabinet, Mr. King said, and the approval of the Governor-General, the Earl of Athlone, was obtained by telephone.

He said the British government and the King had been advised and advised were being sent to the United States government and the governments of all the United Nations.

Because the Canadian government no longer recognized the existence of a government representing the people of France, no formal notification would be sent to Vichy.

Marshal Petain and Pierre Laval, leaders of the Vichy administration, would receive their information of this move through Mr. Ristelhueber and, probably, through radio broadcasts, Mr. King said.

Canada has no diplomats to recall from Vichy since the only form of reciprocal representation since the fall of France has been the occasional visits of Pierre Dupuy, charge d'affaires at the Canadian legation in Paris before the German conquest, who has remained in London since then. Mr. Dupuy was advised Monday night that his duties in that connection had ended.

Canary Promoted

LONDON, Ont. (CP)—Sapper Jo-y, a canary that flew into headquarters of Military District No. 1 here, now has been promoted to the rank of corporal. The promotion was posted on a bulletin board.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL
1 Pictured actor.
11 Right-hand page.
12 Jumps.
13 Laughter sound.
15 Light blows.
16 Against.
17 Area measure.
19 Eggs (biol.).
21 Insect.
22 Born.
23 Compass point.
24 Girl's name.
26 Flogs (colloq.).
27 Type of thread (pl.).
29 Argentine armadillo.
30 Yard (abbr.).
31 Near.
32 Chaldean city.
33 Deciliter (abbr.).
34 District in Hawaii.
37 Inferior cotton cloth.
39 Wave (comb. form).
40 Caterpillar.

Answer to Previous Puzzle
JOHN TOWERS
PARE'S ORIGINS
ALFRED ENIGMA
RED DANGER GRIP
TAR SPEARS SEMI
SYREEM ITS N
A PTINY JOHN
STAGRAH AND
ARRAW PRO
KRAAL EAT PTIME
ADMIRAL PURSE
ESTATE ARIA

Ginny Gilmore Climbing Ladder

Blonde Virginia Gilmore takes a long step in the direction of stardom with her first dramatic lead role in "Berlin Correspondent," the exciting 20th Century-Fox picture opening at the Dominion Theatre today.

Miss Gilmore, who rocketed to prominence as an ingenue in "Tall, Dark and Handsome" and "Western Union," recently was seen in a top romantic role in "The Loves of Edgar Allan Poe."

In "Berlin Correspondent," Virginia portrays the daughter of a German who rebels against Hitler's leadership and joins the underground. Her role calls for her to be a confirmed Nazi and, more, a Gestapo operative.

Producer Bryan Foy insisted on her for the female lead because, as he said, she was ready for the role. But for Virginia, at the crossroads of her career, so to speak, the assignment posed a grave tactical problem, for she didn't want a role as a Nazi which might hurt her future.

The impasse finally was broken when scenarists Steve Fisher and Jack Andrews altered the script to please all of the principals. As a result of the change, Virginia appears in the film as a character at once lovable and despicable.

Anna Neagle in Flying Role

Adding still another world figure to her list of famous characterizations, Anna Neagle brings to life the exciting adventures and appealing love story of Amy Johnson Mollison, noted English flier, in her latest RKO Radio picture, "They Flew Alone," which will open at the Atlas Theatre tomorrow.

Filmed in England against authentic backgrounds, the film tells the story of the rise to fame and fortune of a daring girl flier, of her subsequent descent into poverty and obscurity, the wrecking of her marriage to Jim Mollison, another flying ace, and her untimely death while in the service of her country.

CAPITOL THEATRE

From boots and saddles, cowboy star Tom Tyler has gone for the more sophisticated type of drama.

George Stevens signed him to play the "heavy" in "The Talk of the Town," the Cary Grant-Jean Arthur-Ronald Colman co-starrer at the Capitol Theatre with Edgar Buchanan and Glenda Farrell also featured. Tyler's role is not as gentlemanly as he has figured. He socks Ronald Colman and also fights with Cary Grant.

"This doesn't mean I'm giving up western pictures," Tyler explained. "I'm just trying to polish up on my acting ability between westerns, and to get a good role in a prestige picture like this one doesn't do a cowhand any harm."

YORK THEATRE

"H. M. Pulham Esq." is probably the most widely-read novel since "Gone With the Wind." In addition to its selection and distribution by the Book-of-the-month Club, it was a top best-seller for months, and was also reprinted in abridged form in the Reader's Digest. A total of the book and magazine readers would be in excess of 5,000,000. Three stars head the cast in M.G.M.'s filmization of the novel, currently at the York Theatre. Hedy Lamarr is cast as Marvin Myles, Robert Young as Harry Pulham, and Ruth Hussey as Kay Motford.

CADET THEATRE

Third of A. J. Cronin's best-selling novels to be filmed by British studios, the dramatic "Hatters Castle" is now at the Cadet Theatre. Following closely the book, the picture is packed with tense dramatic situations.

The heavy role is taken by Robert Newton and he carries the character of the autocratic Scot, who destroys his family and himself through his remorseless ambition with almost terrifying realism. The cast includes Deborah Kerr, Evelyn Williams, Enid Stamp-Taylor and Beatrice Varley.

Knockout for Wilson

NEW YORK (AP)—Sgt. Jackie Wilson, Los Angeles welterweight contender now stationed at Mitchell Field on Long Island, made his New York ring debut an impressive one Monday night by knocking out Bernie Miller of New York in the eighth and final round of their feature bout at the St. Nicholas Arena. Wilson weighed 148 pounds, six more than his opponent.

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HIO—Betty Grable and Vic Mature in "Song of the Islands."

YORK—Robert Young and Hedy Lamarr in "H. M. Pulham Esq."

OAK BAY AND PLAZA
The man who made footprints "walk" through the snow has been at it again.
He is Hollywood's man of magic, master of tricks and illusion, John Fulton.
Fulton is the amazing young man whose cinema wizardry was largely responsible for the success of such novelty screen hits as "The Invisible Man," "The Invisible Woman" and "The Invisible Man Returns." Making ghostly footprints in the snow is but one of his achievements.
Fulton, recently, has been devoting his extraordinary talents to a new addition to the "Invisible" series of feature film productions. The newcomer is Universal's "Invisible Agent," now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres. Headlining in the new film are Ilona Massey, Jon Hall, Peter Lorre, Sir Cedric Hardwicke and J. Edward Bromberg. Edwin L. Marin, noted for his "Maizie" hit pictures, directed.

RIO THEATRE
Despite the well-known tanning proclivities of the California sun, studio officials found it necessary to keep a sun-lamp constantly in operation on the set of 20th Century-Fox's "Song of the Islands," the new film at the Rio Theatre starring Betty Grable, Victor Mature and Jack Oakie.
The "Hula" girls, a bevy of sloop-eyed beauties who stut their stuff along with star Betty Grable in the film, complained after several hours of rehearsal that their hips were beginning to creak during the Hula dances. Dance Director Hermes Pan had them take turns under the lamp baking out the kinks.

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Canadian Corvette Victor in Surface Duel Take U-Boat Crew At Point of Gun

OTTAWA (CP)—Navy Minister Macdonald today announced the sinking of a German submarine by the Canadian corvette Oakville and praised the heroism of two Canadian sailors who made a daring leap to board the U-boat and subdue its crew.

He said the action was one of which all Canadians could be proud.

The submarine was first damaged by a bomb from a United States flying boat which directed the corvette to the sub by dropping a flare. It was then rammed three times by the Oakville and finally boarded by Sub-Lt. Harold Lawrence of Brockville, Ont., and Stoker P.O. James Powell of Timmins, Ont., who had to swim for their lives with survivors of the German crew when the submarine sank.

DUAL ACTION

"This incident affords a striking example of the close partnership in which the navies of the United States of America and of Canada are working in the cause of the United Nations," said Mr. Macdonald.

"It was truly through the efforts of both forces that a submarine was destroyed. She was first sighted by a United States escort patrol plane, which immediately attacked and bombed her so successfully that she was damaged."

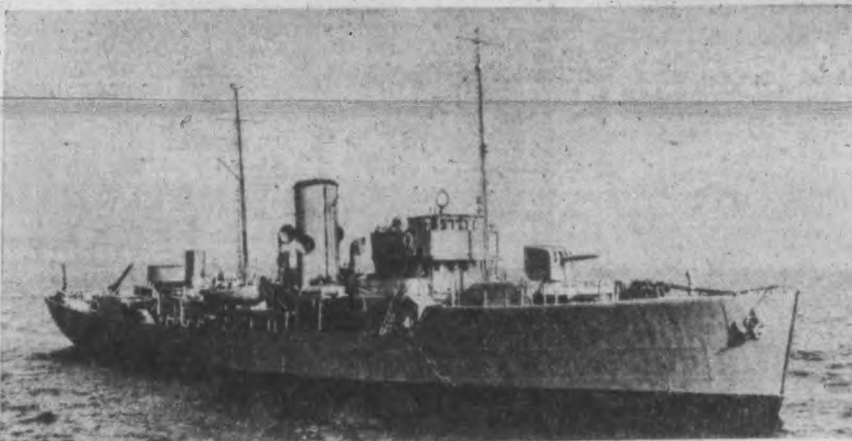
"The action took place in United States waters in which the submarine was waiting to make an attack upon a convoy which was guarded by escort ships from the United States navy, the Netherlands navy and our own. The convoy escort was under the command of a United States officer."

B.C. COMMANDER

The Oakville was commanded by Lt. Cmdr. Clarence A. King, D.S.C., of Oliver, B.C.

"I feel that coupled with the pride that we, as Canadians, must feel in the spirit and dash displayed by H.M.C.S. Oakville and her crew, we must also feel a great satisfaction in this striking demonstration of how our naval forces and the forces of the United States are co-operating," added the navy minister.

"The initial bombing attack by the United States escort plane delivered the enemy into our hands—and I hope that the crew of that plane feel quite satisfied with the final result."



In a spectacular fight with a German submarine, H.M.C.S. Oakville, above, a corvette rammed the enemy craft three times, blasted her deck gun into the sea with the first round from her own 4-inch gun and finally sent her to the bottom. Throughout the action the Oakville demonstrated the effectiveness of her class against submarines, to cope with which corvettes have been especially designed and are being produced in great numbers.



SPO. ARTHUR JAMES POWELL, R.C.N.V., of Timmins, Ont., one of the two-man boarding party which subdued and captured the U-boat crew of more than 25 Nazis.



SUB-LT. HAROLD LAWRENCE, R.C.N.V., of Brockville, Ont., one of the two-man boarding party which subdued and captured the U-boat crew of more than 25 Nazis.



LT. CMDR. CLARENCE A. KING, D.S.C., of Oliver, B.C., commanding officer of H.M.C.S. Oakville. In World War I, Lt. Cmdr. King was in charge of a "Q" ship, with at least one submarine to his credit.

Launching Symbolizes U.S.-Canadian Bond

MONTREAL (CP)—Launching of the corvette Danville for the United States navy in a Canadian shipyard Monday symbolizes the close relationship between Canada and the United States, Hon. Pierpont Moffat, U.S. Minister to Canada, said in an address at the launching ceremony.

The occasion was the first time a U.S. warship had been christened in a Canadian yard where it was constructed.

Control Fir Logs Of Higher Grade

OTTAWA (CP)—All high-grade Douglas fir logs in the coastal area of British Columbia have been placed under direct allocation of the timber controller, effective immediately, it was announced today by the Munitions Department.

The order, issued by Timber Controller Alan H. Williamson, provides that no person shall "convert, process or dispose of" any such logs, except with a written permit, and that every person owning such logs shall report the location and footage to the assistant timber controller for British Columbia.

The order applies only to logs of grades 1 and 2, which are sound and 30 or more inches in diameter, with no knots more than one inch in diameter, ring shake not extending to more than a quarter of the circumference, and with no more than a reasonable number of pitch pockets.

For the purposes of the order, No. 2 logs do not include logs with more than a slight stain or any twist in excess of six to nine inches in six feet, depending on the size of the log.

High-grade Douglas fir logs are being used for structural timbers for aircraft hangars and war plants, and for the maintenance of plywood, all of which is allocated for direct war uses.

8 Americans Survived

AN EAST COAST CANADIAN PORT (CP)—Members of the crew of a British ship told here how they rescued nine men—all Americans—after their vessel had been sent to the bottom in a midnight attack during a gale on the Atlantic.

One of the nine seamen died of exposure shortly after he had been taken aboard. The other eight, who included four U.S.

naval gunners, were landed at another Atlantic port.

The rescue came upon the men six hours after their ship had been sunk. They were clinging to rafts and an upturned lifeboat, which had been capsized by huge waves with all but four of its occupants drowning. The captain was among those lost.

One man lost his life while trying to climb a rope up the side of the rescue ship. Falling back from exhaustion, he failed to come to the surface again.

Sees Action at Sea



GNR. STANLEY BIRCH

"You will never know what we have been through and how brave our officers and lads are aboard this fighting ship. Still we have fooled them once more and we are going to fool them again," writes Gnr. Stanley Birch, 20, to his parents in Victoria.

He is serving aboard a Canadian corvette which has been in notable action on the Atlantic. Gnr. Birch expects to spend a long-anticipated leave with his parents this Christmas.

Gnr. Birch was educated at Mount Newton High School, Keating. His brother, Ron Birch, 21, is overseas with the First Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment. His sister, Georgina, 18, has passed examinations for R.C.N. Wrens.

Hamburg Blasted As Night Raids On Reich Resume

LONDON (CP)—British bombers, making their first night attack on Germany since Oct. 15, raided Hamburg and other targets in northwest Germany Monday night, the Air Ministry announced today.

Fifteen of the attacking aircraft are missing, it was announced.

Canadian squadrons took part in the raid. A communique from R.C.A.F. headquarters here said two of the missing aircraft were Canadian.

"Cloud was widespread and crews reported severe icing, but a considerable tonnage of bombs was dropped," the Air Ministry said.

The Berlin radio for once agreed exactly with the British announcement on losses, asserting 15 bombers had been shot down.

The R.A.F. in recent weeks has concentrated its night attacks on Italian centres, its last previous night raids having been on Genoa, Nov. 6 and 7.

Monday night's excursion followed daylight raids on occupied France by United States army forces and the R.A.F.

Flying Fortresses and Liberator bombers fought their way through a savage attack by German fighter planes Monday to score many hits on the Nazi U-boat base at St. Nazaire, occupied France, in the longest operational flight yet undertaken by American airmen in the European theatre of war.

Three American bombers failed to return, but success of the operation was evident in a joint British-United States communique which said "many hits were observed on the target."

The flight followed an attack by R.A.F. Boston bombers on the docks at Le Havre. One returning R.A.F. pilot said "one bomb appeared to hit a ship on the wharf."

The attack on St. Nazaire was the first raid on that important U-boat base and shipbuilding centre by American fliers and only the second daylight raid. The R.A.F. has pounded the port 38 times, once during daylight in May, 1941.

Wardroom Gossip

A PORT IN NORTHERN IRELAND (CP)—Wardroom gossip with the Royal Canadian Navy: Canadian sailors putting into this port, terminus of the North Atlantic convoy patrol, say seldom, if ever, a convoy comes across the Atlantic now that there is not a Canadian navy ship in the escort. In short Canada's "small-ship" navy is doing a top-notch job even though you don't hear too much about it. You can confirm that with every Royal Navy man you meet.

In the guest book of a Canadian corvette which 200 long ago took aboard some 200 survivors at sea the most space is given to "Scottie." Scottie is the terrier mascot of a ship's engineer who was among those rescued.

Postman on one Canadian destroyer is L.S. Percy Boyd from Vanderhoof, B.C. He looks after all mail and telegrams for the ship's company. Expert in anti-aircraft fire is L.S. Robert Gibson of Vancouver.

It looks as though "Old Joe" is going to have to go. The North Atlantic weather is too tough for him. "Old Joe" is a big brown bear, quite dead and much stuffed. But he's starting to break out at the seams after a few trips to sea tied up in the superstructure of a well-known Canadian destroyer. Men of the ship picked up "Old Joe" from in front of a taxidermist's shop during a call in port.

In the petty officers' mess you'll find P.O. Richard Greer of Toronto razzing P.O. Leslie Robson of Nicola, B.C., for being what Greer calls the "cowboy sailor." The rivalry between eastern and western Canada goes on at sea with all the vigor it does ashore when the westerners and easterners meet.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)—While scattered firm spots persisted in today's stock market, and selling of war issues dried up appreciably, there was enough profit-taking in the bulging peace favorites of Monday to bring a generally downward drift.

Declines of fractions to a point or more were widespread at the start. Transfers were around 750,000 shares.

U.S. Rubber touched a peak mark for 1942.

On the offside the greater part of the proceedings were U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Southern Pacific, Great Northern and Anaconda.

Canadian stocks were easy. Canadian Pacific, Dome Mines, and Lake Shore declined fractions. In the bond market Canada 4s gained 1/4.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

30 Industrials 116.30, off 1.00
20 rails 28.46, off .27
15 utilities 14.60, up .09
Sales, 767,000 shares.

	Closing Bid-Ask
Allied Chemicals	143 1/2
American Can	70
American Tobacco	40
American Smelter	70
American Tel. and Tel.	129 1/2
Anacostia Copper	40
Atchafalaya	40
B. and O. Railway	40
Baldwin Locomotive	40
Bendix Aviation	40
Bethlehem Steel	16
Bowling Aircraft	16
Borden	22
Borg Warner	22
Canada Pacific Railway	22
Cerro de Pasco	6
C. and O. Railway	24
Chrysler	16
Com. Edison	16
Cons. Can	16
Cruickshank Steel	27
Curtis Wright	60
Douglas Aircraft	60
Dupont	132
Eaton	132
General Foods	23
General Electric	23
General Motors	29
Gossamer-Tire	29
Griffith Northern	29
Hoke Sound	29
Inter-Harvester	24
Inlay-Nickel	24
Kennecott Copper	21
Low's Theatre	21
Mannington Ward	11
New York Central	11
North American Aviation	11
Pennsylvania Railway	11
Pepsi-Cola	11
Phillips Petroleum	17
Pullman	17
Radio	17
Republic Steel	13
Reynolds Tobacco	13
Sawley Stores	27
Standard Oil New Jersey	41
Sears Roebuck	67
Southern Pacific	17
Sunderland	17
Texas Corp.	28
Texas Gulf	28
Union Carbide	75
Union Oil California	75
Union Pacific	28
United Aircraft	28
United Gas and Improvements	2
U. S. Rubber	2
U. S. Smelting	52
U. S. Steel	52
Westinghouse Electric	28
Western Union	28
Woolworth	28
Yellow Cab	28

Dorothy Dix:

Marrying a Drunkard Means A Farewell To Happiness

Dear Miss Dix:—I am a girl of 18 deeply in love with a boy of 20. He drinks like a fish and acts like he is crazy when he is drunk. He says all sorts of insulting things to me and threatens to slap me. But still I think more of him than of anybody in the world. He tells me that when he gets in the army he is going to drink twice as much as he does now and won't give a damn for anything.

If he acts like this now, what will he do, after I marry him? Will I be one of the women with tears on my pillow?

A GIRL WHO DOESN'T KNOW WHAT TO DO.

Answer: Have you been so fortunate as never to have known a woman who is married to a drunkard? Have you never seen one of the poor, pathetic creatures who have been dragged down into the gutter by their drunken husbands? If you haven't, ask the policeman on your corner to take you to a drunkard's home.

You will find it a shabby place, with broken chairs and makeshift furniture, with no comforts and conveniences. You will find the drunkard's wife the saddest-faced and most hopeless woman you have ever seen, who looks years older than she is, for she has burned out her youth listening for the sound of the dragging step and watching for the man she loves to come staggering down the street, hooted at by the hoodlums. You will see undernourished, ragged little children whose father has spent on liquor the money that should have gone for good food and warm clothing.

CONSIDER THE FUTURE.

When you look at a drunkard's wife, say to yourself: There, but for the mercy of God, am I. That is the way I will look if I marry a boy who is a drunkard. That is the sort of children I will have if I commit the crime against them of giving them a drunken father. That is the sort of squalor I will live in if I marry a man who spends every cent he makes on liquor.

And then say to yourself: I am not going to be fool enough to kid myself into believing that I can reform a drunkard. There is no miracle in the marriage ceremony that takes away a man's thirst, or gives him the strength of character to let it alone. If a man won't go straight for the sake of his own self respect, he is not going to do it for any woman. So here is where I sign off. No drunken husband for me. I am not going to be one

of the women who wet their pillows with their tears.

Certainly your sweetheart, who reviles you and insults you when he is in his cups and even threatens to slap you, has tipped you off to the kind of husband he will make, and if you go on and marry him in spite of the warning he has given you, you will deserve the treatment he gives you. At any rate, take advantage of the reprieve the war is offering you. Put off marrying this drunken hoodlum until after the war. That will give you time to come to your senses and realize what an idiotic thing you are contemplating doing and it will also give the boy an opportunity to reform.

STEADY BEAU HANDICAPS

Dear Miss Dix:—We are a group of high school girls who would like you to answer these questions: (1) Is it all right for a girl of 16 to write to a boy of 19 who is in the services? (2) When a girl of 16 goes out with boys is it all right to let them kiss her, because if she doesn't they won't ask her out again? (3) Is it all right for a girl of 16 to pet with a boy if she goes steady with him.

SIX GIRLS.

Answer: (1) It is perfectly proper for a girl to write to a boy in the services if she knows him, or even if he is a blind date correspondent, if she only writes nice, friendly, gossip letters. But she must be very careful not to put in her letters any information about the camps she goes to, or anything she has heard about the sailing of ships, or the movement of troops, or anything that would give information to the enemy. The government has ruled out all such letters.

And girls should be very careful not to write love letters. They make them seem cheap even to the boys they write them to, and they give the boys, if they happen to be cad, a chance to make the girls ridiculous when they throw what devils they are among the ladies.

(2) One good-night kiss, if it is given on the pay-for-taking-me-to-the-movies basis, probably has no more significance than a handshake, but one should be the limit. More are dangerous. A girl can get just as drunk on kisses as she can on liquor.

Any girl of 16 makes a fatal mistake when she goes "steady" with a boy, because it cuts her off from the attentions of other boys and limits her choice of a

husband later on. If a girl goes "steady" with a boy and he drops her, she is left flat, and it is very hard for her to ever get into circulation again. She has been branded as "Joe's girl" or "Tom's girl" and is out of the running. Petting is always common and vulgar.

Uncle Ray

Master of Humor Carried Sorrow Deep In His Heart

A December day in the year 1809 saw two new volumes appear on the counters of book shops in New York City. They were a two-volume "History of New York."

The name of the author was given as "Diedrich Knickerbocker." 'Twas said that he belonged to an old Dutch family,



Rip van Winkle found himself a stranger in his old home town

but that he had lately disappeared. The history was supposed to have been published to pay debts which Knickerbocker had left behind him.

As December passed by, more and more people read and talked about this "History of New York." It told a great deal about early Dutch settlers. Some members of the rich Dutch families in the city felt that the volumes poked fun at their ancestors, and said they would tell their friends not to buy them.

Who was this old Knickerbocker? Fact to tell, he wasn't old—he was a young man—26-year-old Washington Irving.

The secret at last came out, but in the meantime Irving enjoyed the widespread talk about Knickerbocker and the history: The fame of this work soon spread abroad, and Sir Walter Scott read it. In a letter Scott said that he and his friends were so much amused that their "sides were sore with laughing."

Many famous writers of humor have had deep sorrow in their own lives. In the years just before the history was published, Irving had suffered the loss of his father and favorite sister, and of Matilda Hoffman.

Matilda Hoffman was the young woman he had planned to marry. In his mind she was the most charming person in the world. Her death filled him with grief, and instead of rising beyond it he kept it heavily in his heart. During his long life he remained a bachelor. If his mind turned to romance, he thought of the girl who had died "in the sweet beauty of her youth."

Yet Irving spoke little of his sorrow to those he met in his

OUR BOARDING HOUSE, with Major Hoople



travels through life. His friends and relatives found in him good nature and kindness, and were happy to be in his company.

Sailing to England, he spent years there and on the continent of Europe. Day after day he wrote in his "Sketch Book," and sent his writings back to the United States.

The stories which now came from Irving's pen were among the best of his life. They included "Rip van Winkle" and "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow."

Millions of school pupils have read "Rip van Winkle," the story of a man who went to sleep for 20 years. Rip found the world very different after he woke up! (For biography section of your scrapbook.)

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "They bought two dozens of oranges."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "cognomen?"
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Kimono, keeness, kangaroo.
4. What does the word "pom-pous" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with la that means "expending or bestowing profusely?"

Answers

1. Say, "They bought two dozen."
2. Pronounce kog-nomen, first o as in on, second o as in no, e as in men, accent on second syllable.
3. Keeness.
4. Characterized by excessive self-importance; pretentious. "The pompous vanity of the old school mistress."—Thackeray.
5. Lavish.

CANADIAN LEGION

SHAWNIGAN LAKE — The monthly meeting of the Malahat branch of the Canadian Legion was held in the Cobble Hill Hall, N. G. Wetber presiding. The branch unanimously endorsed the Victory Loan campaign and the A.R.P. organization. Reports of progress in arrangements for the annual dinner were received.

The Malahat branch went on record as "strongly opposed to enlistment of Canadian-born Japanese in the armed forces."

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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ANSWER: Right. Both crocodiles and alligators are found there.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



Bringing Up Father

By George McManus



Boots and Her Buddies

By Martin



Wash Tubs

By Roy Crane



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